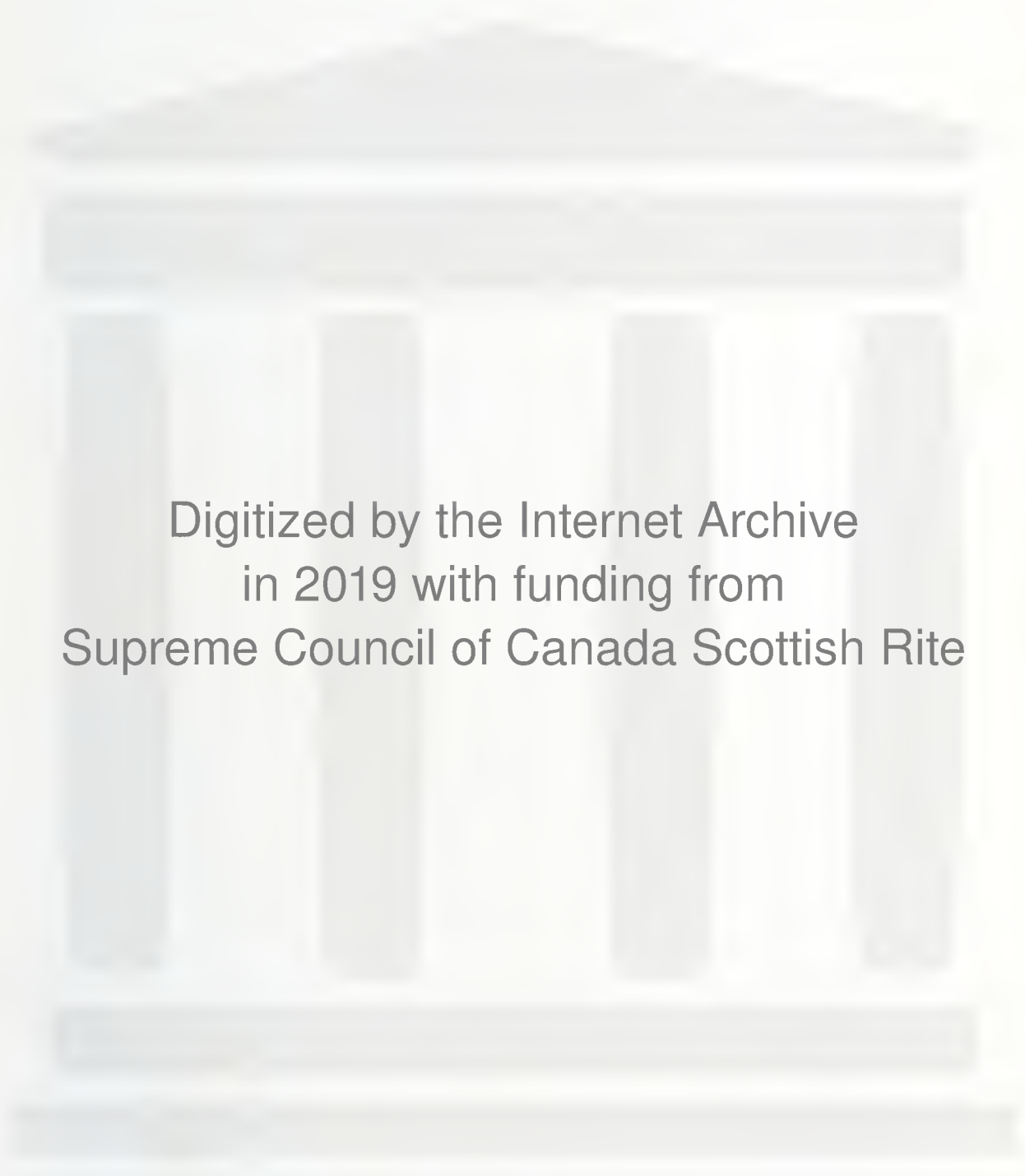


JAMES A. SIMPSON, 33°









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ILL. BRO. THOMAS K. WADE, 33°
M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander



ILL. BRO. ALBERTO BAROCIO, 33°
M. P., Sovereign Grand Commander,
Supreme Council of Mexico.

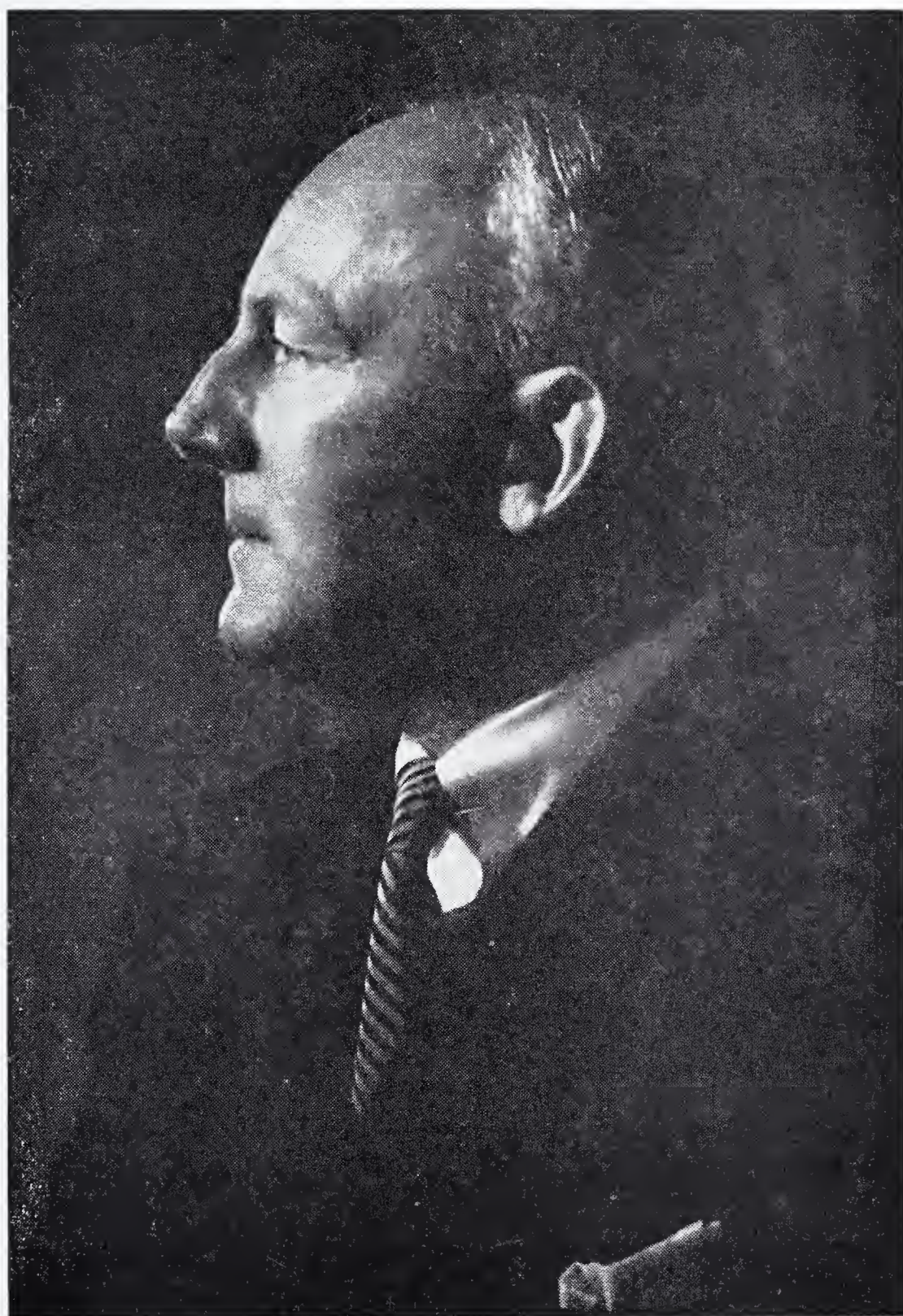


ILL. BRO. R. CARRASCO, 33°
M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander,
Supreme Council of Argentina.

ILL. BRO. ROBERT ALEXANDER B. WOOTTON, 33°

Ill. Bro. Wootton was born at Victoria, British Columbia, on June 28th, 1901, the son of Edward Ernest Wootton and Frances Amelia Wootton. His paternal grandfather Henry Wootton held the offices of Harbour Master and Postmaster of the Crown Colony of Vancouver Island, 1861-1867. His maternal grandfather, the Rev. Robert Hall Smith was a member of the Scottish Rite. Brother Wootton was educated in the Public Schools in Victoria. He entered into Articles in the profession of the law with his father and was called to the Bar of British Columbia in January, 1924, afterwards continuing in the practice of his profession in Victoria until the present date. In January, 1957, he was appointed a Queen's Counsel. He served his profession in the office of Vice-President for British Columbia of the Canadian Bar Association 1953-1955 and he is a Bencher of The Law Society of British Columbia. An Anglican, he is Registrar of the Diocese of British Columbia.

Initiated and raised in 1926 in Vancouver and Quadra Lodge No. 2, G.R.B.C. Received the 14° in Victoria Lodge of Perfection, June, 1928; 18° in Victoria Chapter Rose Croix, June, 1929; and 32° British Columbia Consistory, 1930. Coroneted Honorary Inspector-General at Niagara Falls, Ontario, 1952, and was crowned Active S. G. I. G. at Halifax, 1957. A member of Western Canada Conclave No. 25 Red Cross of Constantine and a member of The Royal Order of Scotland.



ILL. BRO. R. A. B. WOOTTON, 33°

PROCEEDINGS
OF THE
SUPREME COUNCIL
OF
Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the
Thirty-third and Last Degree
OF THE
ANCIENT AND ACCEPTED
SCOTTISH RITE
FOR THE
DOMINION OF CANADA

ANNUAL SESSION
CITY OF HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA
NINTH, TENTH, ELEVENTH, TWELFTH
DAYS OF SEPTEMBER
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THOMAS K. WADE, 33°, TORONTO, ONTARIO
M.:P.:Sovereign Grand Commander.

ERNEST B. THOMPSON, 33°, HAMILTON, ONTARIO
Ill.:Grand Secretary-General, H.:E.:.

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EXECUTIVE SESSION

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 9th

Prior to the formal opening of the Supreme Council in Annual Session in The Nova Scotian Hotel in the City of Halifax, Province of Nova Scotia, the tenth day of September, 1957, corresponding to the Fourteenth day of the Hebrew month Elul, A.H. 5717, the Active Members at the call of the M.P. Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. Thomas K. Wade 33°, pursuant to Articles 5 and 8 of the Statutes and Regulations, assembled in Executive Session on Monday, September 9th, at 1:30 p.m. in the Marine Room.

The Grand Secretary-General was instructed to send flowers with our affectionate greetings to Mrs. D. G. McIlwraith, widow of our Past Sovereign Grand Commander.

On motion, Ill. Bros. F. A. Copus, 33° and W. D. Lawrence, 33°, who were unavoidably absent, were excused in accordance with Article 12 (a) of the Statutes and Regulations, and the Grand Secretary-General was instructed to send messages to these two brethren and also to three Past Active Members who were absent.

The meeting then adjourned to re-convene at 8:00 p.m.

THE SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER'S DINNER

was held in the Main Dining Room of The Nova Scotian Hotel at 6:30 p.m., when Members of Supreme Council, guests and candidates assembled. They were cordially welcomed by Ill. Bro. T. K. Wade 33°, M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander, who later deputed Ill. Bros. Archibald Crease 33° and A. Murray MacKay 33° to visit the ladies who were attending an informal dinner at the Lord Nelson Hotel.

At the conclusion of the dinner, the Sovereign Grand Commander spoke to the Honorary Members and Candidates, after which the Active Members withdrew to an Executive Session in the Marine Room, leaving the meeting in the hands of Ill. Bro. R. J. Rankin 33°.

The Executive Session re-convened at 8:00 p.m.

THE SUPREME COUNCILLOR

As the reaction to the first issue of "The Supreme Councillor" was very favorable, it was decided that another issue should be sent to the entire membership and the cost borne by Supreme Council.

The meeting adjourned at 10:15 p.m.

TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 10th

The Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada assembled in Annual Session at 10:00 a.m. in The Nova Scotian Hotel. The M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander Ill. Bro. Thomas K. Wade 33°, opened the Supreme Council in full ceremonial form and the roll showed 28 Active Members present.

Ill. Bro. James McL. Marshall 33°, presided at the organ when The Lord's Prayer was sung.

REGISTRATION

The Grand Secretary-General reported Officers, Members and Guests registered as follows:—

OFFICERS

Thomas K. Wade, M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander.
 James A. Simpson, P. Lieut. Grand Commander.
 Arthur Cross, Ill. Grand Chancellor.
 G. Fred Kingsmill, Ill. Deputy for Ontario.
 Charles H. Cunningham, Ill. Deputy for Ontario.
 Reginald W. Louthood, Ill. Deputy for Quebec.
 Clarence McN. Steeves, Ill. Deputy for New Brunswick.
 C. Laurie Ells, Ill. Deputy for Nova Scotia, P.E.I. and Newfoundland.
 John R. C. Evans, Ill. Deputy for Manitoba.
 George C. Derby, Ill. Deputy for British Columbia.
 Howard B. Macdonald, Ill. Deputy for Alberta.
 D. A. Roy McCannel, Ill. Deputy for Saskatchewan.
 Ernest B. Thompson, Ill. Grand Secretary-General, H. E.
 Charles S. Hamilton, Ill. Grand Treasurer-General, H. E.
 Howard B. Moore, Ill. Grand Master of Ceremonies.
 Hugh M. Dunlop, Ill. Grand Marshal.
 Alex. G. Storie, Ill. Grand Standard Bearer.
 William A. Henry, Ill. Grand Captain of the Guard.

PAST SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDERS

Douglas Fraser

Clarence MacL. Pitts

PAST SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDERS (HON.)

James H. Winfield

Stuart H. Lees

John H. Cuddie (Hon.), Ill. Asst. Grand Secretary-General.

SOVEREIGN GRAND INSPECTORS-GENERAL 33°

ACTIVE MEMBERS

R. Coulton Berkinshaw

John R. Rumball

Albert E. Fowles

Carroll N. Simpson

James McL. Marshall

Reginald F. Wright

R. Barclay Pow

PAST ACTIVE MEMBERS

Reginald V. Harris

Charles F. Sanford

INSPECTORS-GENERAL 33°

HONORARY MEMBERS

Alexander Adams
 Cyrus J. Allison
 Norman T. Avarð
 Cecil A. Bailey
 H. A. Ballstadt
 Frederick E. Belsham
 M. H. Bingeman
 W. G. Blair
 S. T. Bobier
 L. H. Bovair
 C. A. Bray
 E. C. Brisco
 H. E. Britton
 James C. Brown
 F. C. H. Bruce
 Earle S. Burrows
 Norman W. Byrne
 Hugh M. Cairney
 Ernest J. Call
 J. C. Callaghan
 C. Elmer Campbell
 G. Douglas Carlisle
 M. R. Chappell
 Ryerson M. Christie
 Clyde S. Clancy
 Karl B. Conger
 A. S. Coombs
 Roy C. Crandall
 Archibald Crease
 S. Stuart Crouch
 John Cunningham
 Joseph Curzon
 Frederick M. Darker
 Cecil M. Dent
 E. Macaulay Dillon
 J. W. Duncan

Wilson E. Dunlop
 Charles R. Eaid
 Beverly E. Easton
 Frederick J. Ellison
 McLaren Ewart
 C. G. French
 Alex. M. Fulton
 A. Bertram Gardiner
 James A. Gass
 J. T. George
 Walter H. Gibson
 A. P. L. Goering
 Willard M. Gordon
 Arthur R. Graham
 George T. Green
 Norman M. Hall
 James W. Hamilton
 T. D. C. Hamilton
 Charles E. Higginbottom
 Harry E. Howard
 George B. Ingraham
 Herbert B. Jackson
 P. S. Jannison
 Ray R. Jessup
 Harry S. Johnston
 William A. Jones
 Clifford F. Jubien
 D. Roy Kennedy
 William A. Kennedy
 John H. Kent
 J. Harold Kidd
 J. A. B. Lackey
 Albert C. Lemmon
 H. Darroch Macgillivray
 Arthur E. MacGregor
 A. Murray MacKay

REGISTRATION

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J. Alex. MacKenzie	Ralph H. Rutherford
Arch. H. MacQuarrie	Frank A. Ryder
Charles F. Martin	W. E. Ryder
E. J. McCleery	Charles A. Sankey
Yorke McConnell	Arthur L. Scace
C. R. McIntosh	T. M. Sieniewicz
James D. McKinlay	G. F. Simpson
Leslie F. McLaughlin	G. W. Skene
Leslie F. Meisner	H. C. Smith
John P. Melvin	Norman S. Smith
Frederick Milne	D. A. Somerville
Harry Minchinton	G. J. R. Stephens
Wilfrid E. Morley	J. Leslie Stewart
James H. Ness	Leslie W. Swann
Thomas M. Palmer	E. Stanley Tharp
D. C. Patmore	Thomas G. C. Tichborne
Bryson C. Patterson	Clifford L. Torey
Harold H. Pickard	James V. Trebell
Kenneth Rae	F. A. VanIderstine
R. J. Rankin	Earl J. Vincent
William H. Rath	Stanley Y. Walsh
Garnet S. L. Retallack	W. G. Welby
N. Roy Robertson	R. A. B. Wootton
Arthur S. Robinson	J. Watson Younge
Matthew J. Rudell	

SOUTHERN JURISDICTION, U.S.A.

Luther A. Smith, Sov.' Grand Commander.	
Thomas C. Law	William E. Schooley
Joshua K. Shepherd	Claud F. Young
Silas E. Ross	W. Ross Gates (Hon.)

NORTHERN MASONIC JURISDICTION, U.S.A.

George E. Bushnell, Sov.' Grand Commander.	
Emil U. Dillenback	Sidney R. Baxter (Hon.)
	G. Edward Elwell, Jr. (Hon.)

REPUBLIC OF ARGENTINA

Ricardo Carrasco, Sov.' Grand Commander.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Joaquin S. Lugo Cruz	Francisco E. Lugo Cruz
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MEXICO

Alberto Barocio, Sov. Grand Commander.

THE PHILIPPINES

L. M. Housman

REPUBLIC OF VENEZUELA

N. Garcia Baptista

Dominick Golia

REGRETS

Messages of regret for unavoidable absence were received from:—

ACTIVE MEMBERS

Frank A Copus

William D. Lawrence

and, on motion, they were excused in accordance with Article 12 (a) of the Statutes and Regulations.

PAST ACTIVE MEMBERS

F. J. Burd

Lewis F. Riggs

W. Carey Ditmars

and twenty-five Honorary Members.

SOUTHERN JURISDICTION, U.S.A.

Robert S. Barrett

William Koch

Haslett P. Burke

Harry H. Margolin

Henry C. Clausen

Edgar Cordell Powers

Thomas J. Harkins

Joseph W. Seacrest

NORTHERN MASONIC JURISDICTION, U.S.A.

F. Elmer Raschig, Grand Secretary-General.

Norris G. Abbott, Jr.

George A. Newbury

Claude L. Allen

William H. Pangburn, Jr.

John W. Barkley

Irving E. Partridge, Jr.

John W. Bricker

Oscar A. Richter

Noah J. Frey

Albert P. Ruerat

Aaron H. Grout

John H. Schneider

Albert N. Hepler, Jr.

William F. Strang

Richard A. Kern

Fred L. Wham

Scott S. Leiby

Edward W. Wheeler

McIlyar H. Lichliter

William E. Yeager

L. Todd McKinney

REGRETS

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ENGLAND

R. L. Loyd, Sov.'.Grand Commander.
Sir Donald Makgill, Grand Secretary-General.

IRELAND

Raymond F. Brooke, Sov.'.Grand Commander.
John H. White, Grand Secretary-General.

SCOTLAND

The Earl of Elgin and Kincardine, Lieut.'.Grand Commander

FRANCE

René J. Raymond, Sov.'.Grand Commander.

BELGIUM

Paul Erculisse, Sov.'.Grand Commander.

THE NETHERLANDS

L. J. J. Caron, Sov.'.Grand Commander.

THE PHILIPPINES

Frederic H. Stevens, Sov.'.Grand Commander.
H. Gilhouser, Grand Secretary-General.

SWITZERLAND

Paul Collet, Sov.'.Grand Commander.

PANAMA

José Oller Navarro, Sov.'.Grand Commander.

Supreme Council was then called off when the Honorable Robert L. Stanfield, Premier of Nova Scotia was introduced by Ill.'.Bro.'.R. J. Rankin 33°, also His Worship Leonard A. Kitz, Mayor of the City of Halifax was introduced by Ill.'.Bro.'.A. Murray MacKay 33°. They both extended a hearty welcome to us during our stay in Nova Scotia and hoped that our deliberations would be successful. They retired after being thanked very cordially by the Sovereign Grand Commander.

RECEPTIONS

Supreme Council then resumed Labor in the 33°.

The Minutes of the Annual Session of 1956, having been printed and distributed to all Members were on motion, taken as read and confirmed.

The Supreme Council was then closed in the 33° and declared open without form in the 14° and the members of Constituent Bodies in waiting were admitted.

RECEPTIONS

Ill. Bro. C. Laurie Ells 33°, Deputy for Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland, introduced Ill. Bro. Harvey R. Doane 32°, T. P. G. M. of Victoria Lodge of Perfection, Ill. Bro. Delmer F. Horton 32°, M. W. S. of Keith Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix, and Ill. Bro. Robert H. Cordes 32°, Commander-in-Chief of Nova Scotia Consistory. Ill. Bro. Cordes acknowledged the cordial greeting of the Sovereign Grand Commander on behalf of the presiding officers of the Host Bodies.

The following heads or representatives of concordant Orders and Rites were introduced by Ill. Bro. H. M. Dunlop 33°, Grand Marshal:

GRAND LODGES:

Nova Scotia	Ill. Bro. J. H. Winfield 33°
British Columbia	Ill. Bro. George C. Derby 33°
Alberta	Ill. Bro. Harry E. Howard 33°
Saskatchewan	Ill. Bro. Douglas Fraser 33°
Manitoba	Ill. Bro. J. R. C. Evans 33°
Ontario	Ill. Bro. C. S. Hamilton 33°
Quebec	Ill. Bro. J. McL. Marshall 33°
New Brunswick	Ill. Bro. D. A. Somerville 33°
Prince Edward Island	Ill. Bro. F. A. VanIderstine 33°

GRAND CHAPTERS:

Nova Scotia	Ill. Bro. R. V. Harris 33°
New Brunswick	Ill. Bro. J. W. Duncan 33°

KNIGHTS TEMPLAR:

Nova Scotia	Ill. Bro. R. V. Harris 33°
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ROYAL ORDER OF SCOTLAND:

British Columbia and Alberta	Ill..Bro..H. B. Macdonald 33°
Saskatchewan and Manitoba	Ill..Bro..Douglas Fraser 33°
Ontario	Ill..Bro..J. A. Simpson 33°
Quebec	Ill..Bro..Arthur Cross 33°
New Brunswick	Ill..Bro..C. F. Sanford 33°
Nova Scotia	Ill..Bro..R. V. Harris 33°

THE RED CROSS OF
CONSTANTINE: Ill..Bro..M. R. Chappell 33°

All were welcomed by the Sovereign Grand Commander and Ill..Bro..Douglas Fraser 33° acknowledged their reception saying, that they all appreciated the privilege of contributing to the advancement of our great Order.

PRESENTATION OF DISTINGUISHED GUESTS

At this time the Sovereign Grand Commander received our distinguished guests from Foreign Jurisdictions:

Ill..Bro..Luther A. Smith 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander; Ill..Bro..Joshua K. Shepherd 33°, Grand Chancellor; Ill..Bro..Claud F. Young 33°, Grand Secretary-General; Ill..Bro..William E. Schooley 33°, Grand Treasurer-General; Ill..Bro..Thomas C. Law 33°, First Grand Equerry and Ill..Bro..Silas E. Ross 33°, Grand Herald, all of the Supreme Council of the Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A., were introduced by Ill..Bro..C. S. Hamilton 33°.

Ill..Bro..George E. Bushnell 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander; Ill..Bro..Emil U. Dillenback 33°, Assistant Grand Prior of the Supreme Council for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A., were introduced by Ill..Bro..J. H. Winfield 33°

Ill..Bro..Alberto Barocio 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council for Mexico was introduced by Ill..Bro..John R. Rumball 33°.

Ill..Bro..N. Garcia Baptista 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander, and Ill..Bro..Dominick Golia 33°,

Active Member, both of the Supreme Council for the Republic of Venezuela were introduced by Ill. Bro. J. H. Cuddie 33°.

Ill. Bro. Joaquin S. Lugo 33°, Lieut. Grand Commander, and Ill. Bro. Francisco E. Lugo 33°, Grand Secretary-General of the Supreme Council for the Dominican Republic, were introduced by Ill. Bro. A. G. Storie 33°.

Ill. Bro. Ricardo Carrasco 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council for the Argentine Republic, was introduced by Ill. Bro. A. E. Fowles 33°.

Ill. Bro. L. M. Housman 33°, Ven. Grand Prior of the Supreme Council of The Philippines, was introduced by Ill. Bro. E. B. Thompson 33°.

Each in turn was welcomed individually by Ill. Bro. Thomas K. Wade 33°.

The Sovereign Grand Commander then presented the Allocution as follows:

THE ALLOCUTION OF THE SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER

To the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the
Thirty-Third and Last Degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:

Peers and Brethren :

It is my pleasure to welcome you to this the 83rd Annual Session of our Supreme Council, which is being held in the historic City of Halifax, founded as a colony in 1749 by Governor Edward Cornwallis, in whose memory is named H. M. C. S. Cornwallis, the Naval Training Base. Halifax has one of the finest harbors in the world and is used extensively for troop-ships in war time.

The late Ill. Bro. W. H. Wardrope, 33°, in his capacity as Sovereign Grand Commander, wrote glowingly of his trip to Halifax in 1937 and again in 1938, when Supreme Council met here. I am in a similar position as I will long remember my visit last October to the Halifax Valley, when, in company with Ill. Bro. George Newbury 33°, Deputy for New York, we were royally entertained. Then I got an insight as to the thorough manner in which the Host Valley would cater to our every wish at this Meeting of Supreme Council.

We are again highly honoured by the presence of so many distinguished Scottish Rite Members from Foreign Jurisdictions including:

SOUTHERN U.S.A.

Ill. Bro. Luther A. Smith 33°, Sov. Gr. Commander.

Ill. Bro. Joshua K. Shepherd 33°, Grand Chancellor.

Ill. Bro. Claud F. Young 33°, Grand Sec'y General.

Ill. Bro. Wm. E. Schooley 33°, G. Treasurer-General.

Ill. Bro. Thomas C. Law 33°, First Grand Eq. and
Representative of our Supreme Council.

Ill. Bro. Silas E. Ross 33°, Grand Herald.

NORTHERN U.S.A.

Ill..Bro..George E. Bushnell, 33°, Sov. Gr. Commander

Ill..Bro..Emil Dillenback 33°, Ass't. Grand Prior.

Ill..Bro..G. Edward Elwell 33°. (Hon.)

Ill..Bro..Sidney Baxter 33°. (Hon.)

VENEZUELA

Ill..Bro..N. Garcia Baptista 33°, Past Sov. Grand Commander and Honorary Member of this Supreme Council.

Ill..Bro..Dominick Golia 33°.

MEXICO

Ill..Bro..Alberto Barocio 33°, Sov. Grand Commander.

THE PHILIPPINES

Ill..Bro..L. M. Housman 33°, Representative of our Supreme Council.

THE ARGENTINE

Ill..Bro..Ricardo Carrasco 33°, Sov. Gr. Commander.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

Ill..Bro..Dr. Joaquin Santiago Lugo Cruz 33°, Lt. Gr. Commander.

Ill..Bro..Francisco Emerito Lugo Cruz 33°, Gr. Sec'y General.

Regrets have been received from the Sovereign Grand Commanders of England and Wales, etc., Ireland, France, Panama, Dominican Republic, Belgium and The Philippines. Many other prominent officers of Foreign Jurisdictions have also sent their regrets, much to our disappointment.

NECROLOGY

We mourn the loss of the following:

HONORARY INSPECTORS GENERAL

Alexander Roland Smith, 33°, Vernon, B.C.

Died August 16th, 1956.

George Melbourne Brock, 33°, St. Catharines, Ont.

Died October 4th, 1956.

Albert John Smith, 33°, London, Ont.

Died October 11th, 1956.

Ernest Tailby, 33°, Kitchener, Ont.

Died November 11th, 1956.

Edward Albert Olver, 33°, Toronto, Ont.

Died November 25th, 1956.

David Bertram Nugent, 33°, Ottawa, Ont.

Died January 18th, 1957

Howard Seymour Hamilton, 33°, Halifax, N.S.

Died January 24th, 1957.

William Henry Thomas Keirle, 33°, St. George, Ont.

Died January 25th, 1957.

Alvin Lewis Bennett, 33°, Galt, Ont.

Died January 26th, 1957.

Eric Wellesley Boak, 33°, Victoria, B.C.

Died April 4th, 1957.

George Frederick Ellis, 33°, Calgary, Alta.

Died April 4th, 1957.

Walter Russell Bradford, 33°, Granby, Que.

Died April 12th, 1957.

Elmer Julian Hudson, 33°, Burlington, Ont.

Died April 14th, 1957.

George DeKleinhans, 33°, Kitchener, Ont.

Died May 14th, 1957.

John Lachlan McKinnon, 33°, Saskatoon, Sask.

Died May 17th, 1957.

Charles Frederick Marshall, 33°, Hamilton, Ont.

Died May 18th, 1957.

Clarence A. Gardiner Conley, 33°, Ottawa, Ont.
Died June 20th, 1957.

James Hamilton Gibson, 33°, Hamilton, Ont.
Died July 9th, 1957.

Charles Hammond Martin, 33°, Simcoe, Ontario.
Died August 16th, 1957.

Suitable memorials have been prepared for inclusion in the Proceedings.

We also regret the death of William Harvey McPherson of Winnipeg who was elected at our last Session, and was expected to be present for initiation this evening.

Let us cherish their memory, and from their excellent examples may we take high resolve that we "Neither be surprised by death nor leave behind us obligations unfulfilled and worthless memories."

The losses by death of our MEMBERS follow:

Lodges of Perfection	521
Chapters of Rose Croix	377
Consistories	259

SISTER JURISDICTIONS:

SCOTLAND:

Charles Hinton Burrows 33°, Gr. Secy. General.
Died August 5th, 1957.

IRELAND:

Lord Arthur Farnham, 33°, Grand Marshal.
Died February 5th, 1957.

AMERICA:

—Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A.:

Dr. William Burchard Roberts, 33°, Active Member in
Minnesota and Grand Chamberlain.
Died May 8th, 1957.

Delbert Thomas Robinson, 33°, Active Member in West Virginia.

Died June 21st, 1957.

—Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A.:

Charles Oliver DeMoure, 33°, Active Member for Indiana.

Died September 28th, 1956.

Lester Russell Hill, 33°, Active Member and Deputy for New Hampshire.

Died May 9th, 1957.

J. Wallace Woodford, 33°, Active Member and Deputy for District of Delaware.

Died August 4th, 1957.

ARGENTINE:

Professor Hiram G. Calogero, 33°, Active Member.

Died March 15th 1957.

BOLIVIA:

Armando Bretel Arrazola, 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander.

Died December 5th, 1956.

COLOMBIA:

Luis Eduardo Nieto Caballero, 33°, Active Member.

CUBA:

Luciano Carregal Darelo, 33°, Active Member.

Died January 13th, 1957.

DOMINICAN REPUBLIC:

Jose M. Batlle, 33°, Active Member.

Died April 30th, 1957.

Licdo. Luis Israel Alvarez Cabrera, 33°, Active Member

Died August 18th, 1957.

The death of Ill. Bro. Charles Hinton Burrows 33° after only about six months in office as Grand Secretary General of the Supreme Council of Scotland will prove a

great loss. He succeeded that great authority Ill.:Bro.:R. S. Lindsay, who had retired after many years of useful service.

Our Supreme Council offers fraternal sympathy to the Sister Supreme Councils owing to the deaths of these Illustrious Brethren.

OBSERVATIONS :

During my 25 years as a member of Supreme Council, I have served under seven Sovereign Grand Commanders, three of whom M.:P.:Brothers Rowland, McIlwraith and Ross, died in office, which caused considerable embarrassment, and emphasizes the wisdom of Article 26 (c) whereby a Sovereign Grand Commander, after his three years term of office, cannot succeed himself. Thus we already have a "back-log" of two Past Sov.:Gr.:Commanders to whom the Presiding Officer can look for guidance and support.

From the early thirties until 1942 (the lean years) the membership of the Scottish Rite in Canada decreased year by year, but since 1943, when the membership stood at 12,622, there has been a steady growth until now the figure stands at 23,991, nearly doubled in fifteen years. This is encouraging but the proportion of Scottish Rite membership to Craft Masonry still remains at less than 10%. Surely there must be many more who would make excellent members of the Rite, if they were given the opportunity.

But our aim should be to put more Masonry into men, rather than more men into Masonry, and I am convinced that the Scottish Rite is endeavouring so to do. In the many visits I have made during my three years as Deputy and my two years thus far as Grand Commander, I have noticed a vast improvement in the exemplification of the various degrees—in accuracy, dignity and impressiveness, so much so that the members cannot but realize that the Rite is "putting more Masonry into men". If that is accomplished, more men will undoubtedly be brought into Masonry.

In the earlier years of my travels I sometimes said to the brethren "So much done by so few", but I am glad to report that more and more of the brethren are now taking part in the various casts, thus spreading the interest to the many rather than to the few.

RULINGS AND DECISIONS:

On March 15th, 1957, Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham 33°, Deputy for Ontario, furnished me with the following facts with regard to a request from Bro. Lt. Col. David M. Hall to be permitted to make application to join the Rite in Kingston:

1. He is a member of St. John's Lodge No. 3, Kingston.
2. His father, Ill. Bro. C. H. Hall, 32°, is a member of the Kingston Lodge of Perfection and resides at 157 Alfred Street, Kingston.
3. He holds the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the Canadian Army Medical Corps, and is transferred by the army authorities at Ottawa from time to time, to various stations.
4. He is anxious to join the Rite in Kingston, where his father and brother are members.

In view of the foregoing and by virtue of the authority granted to me under Article 29 (S), I ruled that the provisions of Articles 33C and 75 be waived and, in this particular instance, his place of residence be deemed to be 157 Alfred Street, Kingston.

DISPENSATIONS:

At the request of the Illustrious Deputy, Dispensation was granted under Article 29 (S) to Sault Ste. Marie Chapter of Rose Croix to confer the Chapter degrees on Bros. John Dempsey, Gordon M. Edgar, Reid C. Barstead, Charles H. Doherty, Raymond A. McHarg Kitchener, E. Armstrong Rosco, La Verne Sawyer and William H. Tremelling who were to receive the Perfection degrees at the same Reunion in October. These eight brethren reside a long distance from the Soo.

It was again a pleasure for me to concur mutually with the Grand Commander of the Northern Jurisdiction U.S.A., Ill. Bro. George E. Bushnell 33°, to permit Niagara Falls, N.Y. Lodge of Perfection to exemplify the 11° in Elgin Lodge of Perfection on February 8th, 1957 and the latter

to exemplify the 10° on February 26th, 1957 in Niagara Falls Lodge of Perfection. These two Bodies, situated on either bank of the Niagara River, are very friendly.

A further visit by Elgin Lodge of Perfection to exemplify the 10° in Lockport, N.Y. Lodge of Perfection was mutually agreed upon.

Exchanges of visits between Scottish Rite Bodies in nearby jurisdictions are, I believe, in the interests of the Fraternity.

Acting under the recommendations of the Committee on Dispensations and Warrants, and under authority of Article 29 (F) (1), I issued Dispensations on September 10th, 1956 for the Institution of Central Alberta Lodge of Perfection, Red Deer, Alberta; and of Kent Chapter of Rose Croix, Chatham, Ont.

The ceremony of Institution of these two Bodies was conducted respectively by the Deputies, Ill.° Bros.° H. B. Macdonald 33° on October 6th, 1956, and G. F. Kingsmill 33° on January 19th, 1957, who are covering these interesting events in their Annual Reports.

The Committee on Dispensations and Warrants at the last Session also recommended that Niagara Chapter of Rose Croix (U.D.) be granted a Warrant.

The Ceremonies of Constitution, Installation of Officers, Dedication and Consecration were carried out on January 17th, 1957, under the direction of the Deputy, Ill.° Bro.° C. H. Cunningham 33°. I took part in the ceremonies and was assisted by a number of Active and Honorary Members of Supreme Council, including Ill.° Bros.° C. S. Hamilton 33°, R. C. Berkinshaw 33° and John R. Rumball 33° from Toronto. This Chapter will fill a long felt want in the Niagara Peninsula.

The formation of these new Bodies indicates the steady growth of the Rite in the Dominion.

BY-LAWS:

During the past year I have approved of Amendments of the By-Laws of Hochelaga Lodge of Perfection and Chapter of Rose Croix, and Montreal Consistory; situated in

Montreal; Ottawa Lodge of Perfection and Murray Chapter of Rose Croix situated at Ottawa; Sault Ste. Marie Lodge of Perfection and Chapter of Rose Croix; Kingston Lodge of Perfection; and Chinook Chapter of Rose Croix, Lethbridge.

OFFICIAL VISITS:

I made some twenty visits away from home during the year under review, and I hope by the end of my three year term of office that I shall have visited all the Valleys in the Dominion. These visits, as well as those to U.S.A. Bodies are interesting and instructive, and I am becoming more and more convinced that it is indeed an honour and a privilege to be a member of the Scottish Rite. Everywhere I go I am given a true Scottish Rite welcome. I meet splendid fellows and learn much from them.

The following is a list:

1956

September 22-27—*Cincinnati*—Supreme Council of Northern Jurisdiction U.S.A.

October 22 —*Moncton*—Lodge of Perfection.

October 23-25—*Halifax*—Reunion Victoria Lodge of Perfection.

November 7- 8—*Hamilton*—Reunion Moore Consistory.

November 15-16—*Bloomsburg*—Reunion Caldwell Consistory.

November 24 —*Quebec*—Reunion Lodge of Perfection.

1957

January 17 —*Niagara Falls*—Constitution of Chapter of Rose Croix.

February 11 —*Toronto*—Installed Officers of Lodge of Perfection.

February 19-22—*Washington*—Grand Masters Conference.

March 4 —*Calgary*—Lodge of Perfection.

March 6 —*Nelson*—Kootenay Lodge of Perfection.

March	7	— <i>Vernon</i> —Okanagan Lodge of Perfection.
March	8	— <i>Vancouver</i> —Lodge of Perfection.
March	12	— <i>Victoria</i> —Lodge of Perfection.
March	23	— <i>London</i> —Lodge of Perfection.
April	4	— <i>Woodstock</i> —Lodge of Perfection.
April	10	— <i>Barrie</i> —Reunion, Lodge of Perfection.
April	13	— <i>Windsor</i> —Lodge of Perfection.
April	18	— <i>Toronto</i> —Maundy Thursday.
April	22	— <i>Toronto</i> —Easter Sunday.
April	24	— <i>Toronto</i> —Grand Chapter.
May	13	— <i>Toronto</i> —Lodge of Perfection.
June	17-19	— <i>Coudersport</i> —Reunion Consistory.
July	16-17	— <i>Toronto</i> —Grand Lodge.

I attended the 144th Annual Meeting of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction at Cincinnati from September 22nd-27th, 1956. It was a wonderful experience, and I am looking forward to the 145th Annual Meeting to be held at Boston two weeks hence. According to the age-old custom, the Saturday evening before the formal opening was devoted to a dinner given by the Grand Commander to the Actives and guests and their ladies. On the Sunday a Vesper Service was held when our own Ill. Bro. W. Harold Young 33° gave the sermon. His text was "What's life all about"; his was an inspiring address and I was proud of him as a worthy representative of Canada.

On the Tuesday Supreme Council was formally opened in due and ancient form before a large gathering of Scottish Rite Masons, including such honoured guests as the Sovereign Grand Commanders of the Southern Jurisdiction, Canada, Venezuela, Argentina and Cuba. At this meeting the Supreme Council for Canada was honoured by its Sovereign Grand Commander being elected an Emeritus Member of Honour, which is greatly appreciated by the recipient. The meetings carried through until the Thursday morning

when the Chain of Union was formed. The Canadian Delegation accompanying me consisted of Ill. Bro. Ernest B. Thompson 33°, Grand Secretary-General, and Mrs. Thompson; also Ill. Bro. Stuart H. Lees 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander (Honorary) and Mrs. Lees.

The Scottish Rite Cathedral in Cincinnati is a magnificent structure, and well suited for holding a meeting of this nature. We were all given a genuine Scottish Rite welcome and entertainment.

During the fourth week of October, I had delightful visits to the Valleys of Moncton and Halifax in company with Ill. Bro. George A. Newbury 33°, Deputy for the District of New York, who found time from his many arduous duties to accept the invitation extended to him by me personally six months previously. He is a delightful travelling companion and was very much appreciated in the Maritime Provinces. Moncton Lodge of Perfection was Instituted on December 22nd, 1954, and Constituted on April 27th, 1956, during which time the membership has grown from 72 to 176. I was impressed by the spirit of the officers and members.

Our two days' stay at the Reunion in Halifax in lovely weather was most enjoyable; I had heard of the fame of the Halifax Valley which I discovered to be well founded. We were royally entertained.

In Moncton I was presented with an oil painting of Peggy's Cove, and in Halifax a large picture of the famous "Bluenose".

Accompanied by Ill. Bro. Pitts 33°, I attended the Reunion of Caldwell Consistory at Bloomsburg, Pa., November 15th-16th. Our reaching there was quite unique. Bro. Pitts and I arrived at Avoca airport about the same time and were met by Ill. Bro. Roy Snyder 33°, Commander-in-Chief of the Consistory, who flew us to Bloomsburg some fifty miles away in his own four-seater plane. We were met at the small Bloomsburg airport by Ill. Bro. G. Edward Elwell 33°; Ill. Bro. William E. Yeager 33°, Active for Pennsylvania, and a battery of cameras.

The population of Bloomsburg is about ten thousand and the town is situated in a valley more or less secluded from the rest of the world, as it is not served by rail or air.

The Temple is large and complete in every detail with two large dining rooms capable of handling about 1800 people—a good sized auditorium with balcony—a large stage with excellent stage effects—large wardrobe and make-up rooms.

The hospitality was excellent and the degrees well exemplified.

On November 24th I attended the Reunion of the Quebec Lodge of Perfection, being joined at Montreal by the Deputy for Quebec, Ill.°.Bro.°.Louthood 33°, Ill.°.Bro.°.Arthur Cross 33°, Grand Chancellor and Ill.°.Bro.°.James Marshall 33°, so Supreme Council was represented by four of its officers. The Quebec Valley is carrying on courageously despite the prevailing population in that Province; they draw most of their membership from outlying parts of the Province. The obligatory degrees were satisfactorily exemplified by degree teams from Montreal, Saguenay and Thetford Mines, as well as Quebec. The Montreal cast for the seventh degree accompanied us on the train from Montreal.

I travelled to Washington to attend the Annual Conference of Grand Masters on Feb. 19-22, 1957, and as usual met most of the Grand Masters of the U.S.A. Our own Ill.°.Bro.°.William L. Wright 33°, Archbishop of Algoma and the then Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, was also present and delivered a masterly address.

The months of March and April kept me on the go a good part of the time.

On March 4th I attended Calgary Lodge of Perfection—on March 6th Kootenay Lodge of Perfection at Nelson; on March 7th Okanagan Lodge of Perfection at Vernon; on March 8th Vancouver Lodge of Perfection; and on March 12th Victoria Lodge of Perfection—almost a barn-storming tour.

Ill.°.Bro.°.George Derby 33°, Deputy for British Columbia, met me at Vernon and accompanied me during the rest

of the trip. Bro. Derby has covered my trip in his Report as Deputy; he is doing a grand job in his Jurisdiction and is well liked and respected in each of the British Columbia Valleys, where I saw Scottish Rite in a healthy state. Wherever I went I was cordially received and everything was done for my comfort.

The trip through the Rockies was inspiring, having in the past only seen them from the air. I was driven from Calgary to Lethbridge by Ill. Bro. Frank W. Paterson 33°, where I caught the train for Nelson, arriving there about noon, and was met by Ill. Bro. H. D. Harrison 33°. The trip through the Kootenay Valley and along the Kootenay River opened my eyes as to the beauty of the Rockies.

Western hospitality and graciousness is well known, but was put to the test at Nelson, when a blizzard interfered with my plane trip to Penticton. Ill. Bro. Dugald Campbell 32° of Vancouver was at Nelson and offered to drive me all the way to Penticton, a distance of over 260 miles. I accepted his offer gladly, but the going was rough after the blizzard. I was met at Penticton by Bro. L. C. Chambers 14° who drove me the remaining 70 miles to Vernon, where I arrived just in time for the meeting—a close call.

It was a privilege when in Vancouver to meet those great Masons Ill. Bro. Frank Burd 33° and Ill. Bro. Carey Ditmars 33° who are stalwarts in the Rite on the Coast.

Shortly after my Western trip, Ill. Bro. G. F. Kingsmill 33°, Deputy for Ontario, arranged visits to the London, Woodstock, Barrie and Windsor Valleys, where I was royally welcomed and had the opportunity of meeting personally many of the officers and members, as well as addressing the meetings. Degrees were exemplified in all four Lodges.

On April 24th I represented the Scottish Rite at the Annual Session of Grand Chapter, and on July 16th, 17th at the Annual Meeting of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

My visit to Coudersport from June 17th-19th was most interesting, and brought back memories to some of the older members there of visits in 1932 by the late Ill. Bro. Douglas G. McIlwraith 33°, Deputy for Ontario, who was accompanied by a team from Moore Sovereign Consistory,

and portrayed the 31° and 32°; also in 1936 when Ill. Bro. W. H. Wardrope 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander was present, along with the Sovereign Grand Commanders of the Southern and Northern Jurisdictions. This was probably the only occasion when the three heads of the Rite in North America were present together at a Consistory Reunion; also in 1947 Moore Sovereign Consistory members visited Coudersport and again exemplified the Ritual of the 31° and 32° according to the version used in Hamilton.

I was met at Bradford Airport by Ill. Bro. William E. Yeager 33°, Active Member for Pennsylvania and a Past Grand Master of Masons in that State, and who was most attentive during my stay.

Coudersport is a town of about 3,000 inhabitants and is situated 2,400 feet above sea level. The Consistory has a membership of 8,000 drawn from the surrounding small towns, villages and farms. Two Reunions are held annually, when Perfection, Chapter and Consistory Degrees are exemplified. The Members and Candidates arrive with their ladies, and are lodged in the private homes of the town; three meals are provided daily by the Consistory at a moderate cost. The Auditorium holds 1,300 people; the stage effects, props and costumes leave nothing to be desired; and the degrees were conferred in an admirable manner.

I was received formally on the Wednesday and made a short address. The display of the Canadian ensign was a gracious gesture; and I was highly honoured when they named the Class after me as a tribute to Scottish Rite Masonry in Canada.

I was glad to be present at the Fall Reunion of Moore Sovereign Consistory, when the 21° was exemplified by a cast from Buffalo Consistory; the 19° and 20° by Hamilton brethren; and the 24° by members from London. All the degrees were exceptionally well portrayed.

I also attended as many meetings of the Toronto Valley as I could; on February 11th I Installed the officers of the Lodge of Perfection; and on Easter Sunday I gave the Easter message at the Rose Croix meeting. An interesting meeting of the Chapter was held on March 21st when the 17° was exemplified, and Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham 33°,

Deputy for Ontario, gave an interesting history of the degree.

On Monday, May 13th, I had the privilege of presenting the 50-year medal to Ill. Bro. George E. M. Hunter 33° who has so faithfully served the Toronto Valley as Organist.

EASTER CEREMONIES:

Reports from the Deputies show a slight increase in attendance at the Maundy Thursday and Easter Sunday ceremonies, but hardly in proportion to the increased membership. The good work continues of carrying on the abridged ritual in outlying districts. This is particularly noticeable in the Valley of Quebec where with a Rose Croix Membership of a little over a hundred, ceremonies are conducted in Gaspé, Thetford Mines and Kenogami.

HONORS:

I very much appreciated the honour conferred upon me during the past year as your Sovereign Grand Commander, by being elected last September as an Emeritus Member of Honor in the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A. I also gratefully acknowledge Honorary Membership in a number of the Scottish Rite Bodies in Canada. I refer elsewhere to the Coudersport Consistory when the 1957 Spring Class was named the "Thomas K. Wade Class".

Congratulations are due to Ill. Bros. Harry L. Martyn 33° and Clarence MacLeod Pitts 33°, Past Sovereign Commander, upon their election respectively to the offices of Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, also Ill. Bros. James McL. Marshall 33°, Active Member of our Supreme Council who was elected Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Quebec and D. A. Somerville 33°, who was elected Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick. Another evidence of the ties of brotherhood existing between Craft and Scottish Rite Masonry.

PAST ACTIVE RANK:

A Special Committee on Past Active Rank consisting of Ill. Bros. Evans (Chairman), Berkinshaw and Moore

brought in a motion at the last Annual Session, but requested that it be withdrawn. Your Sovereign Grand Commander reappointed the same committee with a request to bring in a revised Notice of Motion which has gone out to the members of Council.

PUBLICATIONS :

It was decided at the last Annual Session that a bulletin outlining what transpired at that Session be prepared and sent to all Members of the Scottish Rite in Canada through the medium of the Secretaries of the various Bodies. Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham 33° kindly consented to undertake this task, resulting in the issue of "The Supreme Council-lor". I have heard many "side-benchers" express their appreciation and hope that the good work will continue.

FOREIGN RELATIONS :

I have nothing to report as there seems to be no change in the conditions of the various Foreign Jurisdictions since my Allocution of 1956, except that the situation in Central America is more confused than ever.

I was invited to attend a Meeting of European Sovereign Grand Commanders in Vienna last May, but had to decline as our Supreme Council is not in amity with the Supreme Council of Austria. I am informed of the presence at this Conference of the Sovereign Grand Commanders of France, and Southern U.S.A. Jurisdiction; representative of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, but have no information as to what transpired. We, however, cannot now think of Vienna without acknowledging its great work in assisting the many thousands of Hungarians to escape from their bondage.

DEMENTIA PRAECOX :

Your Sovereign Grand Commander appointed a Special Committee to make a study of the situation and bring in a report. This Committee consists of Ill. Bros. Derby (Chairman), Henry, Fowles, Rumball, Evans and Boak.

Bro. Derby looked to Bro. Boak for much assistance and advice, but unfortunately Bro. Boak passed away last Spring. His passing leaves a great gap in the Valley of Victoria.

On May 26th, Ill. Bro. John R. Rumball 33°, a member of the Committee, attended the Committee on Research in Dementia Praecox sponsored by the Supreme Council of the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction held in New York, and rendered his report to the Chairman, Ill. Bro. Derby 33°.

BENEVOLENCE:

We were not called upon for assistance during the year under review.

FINANCE:

The Report of Ill. Bro. C. S. Hamilton 33°, Grand Treasurer General, indicates a sound financial structure. Brother Hamilton has held his post for twenty years, and under his guiding hand our investments have risen from \$211,598.00 to \$345,952.00,—“Time marches on”.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS:

My personal thanks, and the thanks of all members of this Supreme Council are due to the Illustrious Deputies for their assiduous attention to their duties and for the guidance given to the Valleys in their respective Jurisdictions; to Ill. Bro. E. B. Thompson 33°, Grand Secretary-General to whom I frequently look for advice; to Ill. Bro. J. H. Cuddie 33° Assistant Grand Secretary-General and his assistant, Miss Lees, for the efficient manner in which every detail of the Office is attended to; to Ill. Bro. C. S. Hamilton 33° Grand Treasurer General, a close personal friend of mine for nearly fifty years, in whose hands the funds of the Rite are carefully guarded.

Another year has passed—another happy year for me; and I trust another happy year for the Scottish Rite throughout the Dominion. With another year's experience the cloak of responsibility has weighed less heavily on my shoulders, thanks largely to the co-operation and expressions of loyalty from the brethren of all ranks.

And now, my brethren, our labours await us; may the Most High crown them with success!

Fraternally submitted,

THOMAS K. WADE 33°,
Sovereign Grand Commander.

On motion, put by Past Sovereign Grand Commander Pitts, the Allocution was referred to the Standing Committee on the Allocution, except such portions as are Rulings or Recommendations regarding Statutes and Regulations, which were referred to the Standing Committee on Jurisprudence and Legislation.

The Session then closed at 11:50 a.m. in the 14° to re-open in the 33° GENERAL SESSION at 2:30 p.m.

LUNCHEON

All members and distinguished guests gathered in the Main Dining Room of The Nova Scotian Hotel for luncheon. Ill. Bro. Archdeacon W. E. Ryder 33° pronounced the blessing. The Sovereign Grand Commander presided and short addresses were delivered by Ill. Bro. Luther A. Smith 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of the Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A., Ill. Bro. Emil U. Dillenback 33° Assistant Grand Prior of the Supreme Council for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A., and Ill. Bro. Alberto Barocio 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council for Mexico.

Immediately after the luncheon the brethren all assembled for a group photograph.

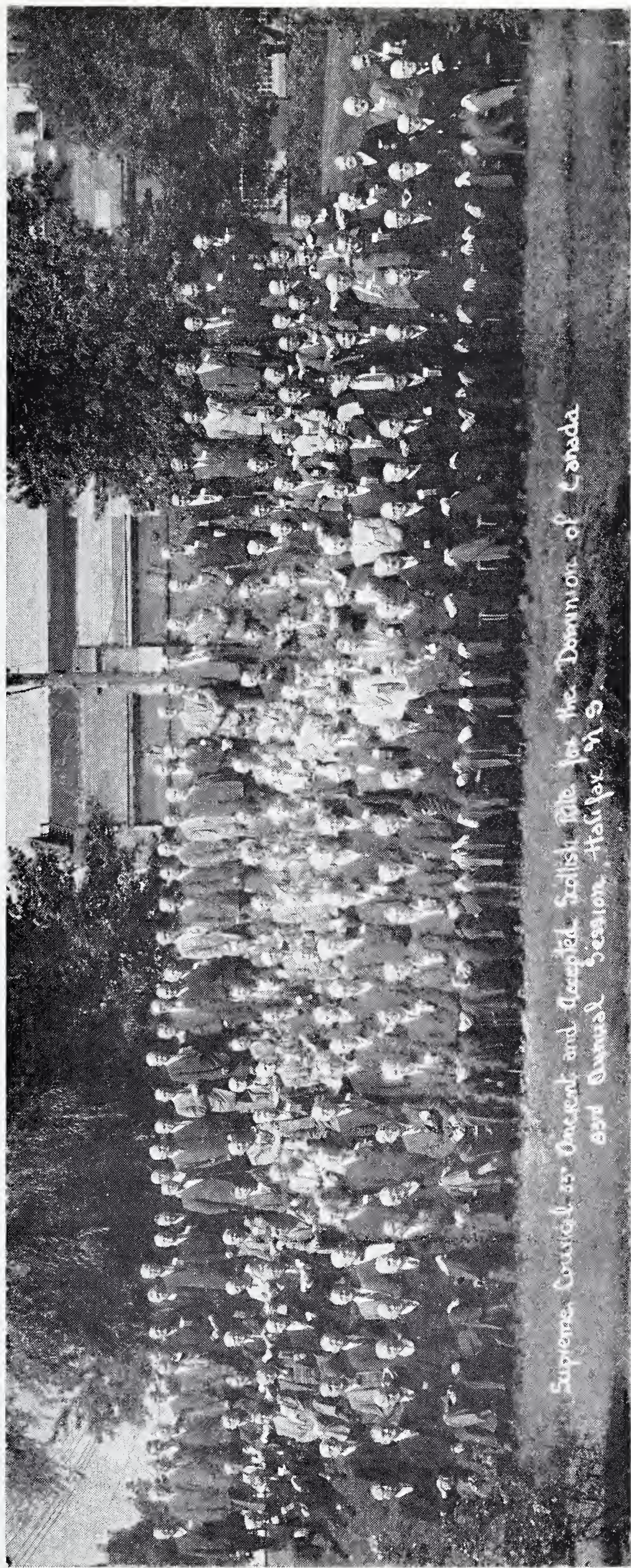
At 2:30 p.m. the Council resumed in GENERAL SESSION.

RECEPTION OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

The Grand Representatives of all Foreign Jurisdictions with which we are in amity were welcomed by our Sovereign Grand Commander and asked to convey the fraternal greetings of this Supreme Council to the respective Sovereign Bodies which they have the honor to represent.

Ill. Bro. Douglas Fraser 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander and Grand Representative for England and Wales, Etc., acknowledged the welcome as follows:

“You have done me the honor of designating me as the Grand Representative of the Supreme Council for England and Wales, our Mother Supreme Council, to speak on behalf of the assembled Grand Representatives of all the Supreme Councils of the world with which we are in amity.



Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite for the Dominion of Canada
63rd Annual Session, Halifax, N.S.

“Speaking first for my Supreme Council, I bring you the greetings and good wishes of Sovereign Grand Commander R. L. Loyd, an Honorary Member of this Supreme Council and his officers and members. Our filial relations have always been the most harmonious and latterly through the vision of Ill. Bro. C. M. Pitts in organizing the Conference of English-Speaking Supreme Councils of the British Isles and North America in Amity, at the Seigniory Club, have reached the zenith of fraternal affection. They wish you well.

“Associated with me at the altar are the legates of some twenty-eight Supreme Councils and the ambassadors of over a million Scottish Rite Masons throughout the world. I am sure that I have their authority to wish prosperity and harmony to this Supreme Council from the Supreme Councils of which they are the respective Representatives as well as the individual members of their several jurisdictions.

“What a potential they represent toward the achievement of that dream of all men of goodwill, namely, Peace on Earth in our time and what a demonstration of the universality of our great and glorious Order, one on which the sun never sets, do they convey! It is an arresting and challenging thought.

“We deeply appreciate your cordial reception of us. We shall make due report to our respective Councils conveying your greetings tendered through us and again wish for you, your officers and members one and all, the blessing of the G.A.O.T.U. whom all Masons, of whatever race, color or creed, adore. We thank and hail you.”

Reports of the Grand Secretary-General and the Grand Treasurer-General were presented as follows:

**REPORT OF THE
GRAND SECRETARY-GENERAL, H.:E.:
YEAR 1956 - 1957**

To the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the
Thirty-third and Last Degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

I have the honor to submit the report of the Grand Secretary-General:—

AMOUNTS AND SOURCES OF REVENUE

GENERAL	
Thirty-third Degree	
Fees	\$5,250.00
Sundries	1.50
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	\$5,251.50

CONSISTORIES	
Alberta	\$ 754.40
British Columbia	576.20
Manitoba	553.40
Montreal	522.40
Moore	4,484.40
New Brunswick	104.60
North Star	215.60
Nova Scotia	459.40
Saskatchewan	588.60
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	\$8,259.00

CHAPTERS OF ROSE CROIX	
Alexander Shepphard	\$ 143.20
Bethesda	450.60
Brandon	113.80
Chinook	101.40
Delta	259.80
Guelph	346.20
Hamilton	1,158.20
Harrington	259.00
Hochelaga	377.80
Keith	499.60
Kent	202.93
Kokanee	23.20
London	566.20
Mizpah	473.60
Moray	60.80
Murray	458.60
Nanna-Bijou	387.60
Niagara	171.00
North Bay	375.70
Peterborough	363.60
Quebec	74.20
Regina	405.20
Rose of Sharon	164.20
Saskatoon	170.20
Sault Ste. Marie	151.20
Spry	595.20
Toronto	862.40
Vancouver	416.00
Victoria	121.20
Windsor	403.60
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	\$10,156.23

LODGES OF PERFECTION	
Albert Edward	\$ 144.40
Barrie	907.20
Brandon	199.20
Calgary	361.20
Central Alberta	157.80
Chatham	252.70
Edmonton	685.80
Elgin	434.80
Hochelaga	444.00
Kingston	208.10
Kootenay	95.10
Lethbridge	207.80
London	681.55
Moncton	178.40
Moose Jaw	223.80
Murton	2,046.70
North Bay	565.60
Okanagan	133.20
Ottawa	881.70
Peterborough	731.30
Quebec	117.20
Regina	691.60
Royal City	692.70
Saint John	261.75
Saskatoon	403.00
Sault Ste. Marie	205.70
Superior	569.20
Toronto	1,584.00
Vancouver	704.40
Victoria, B.C.	217.10
Victoria, N.S.	663.30
Windsor	679.40
Winnipeg	742.40
Woodstock	179.60
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	\$17,251.70

SUMMARY

Thirty-third Degree	
Fees	\$ 5,250.00
Consistories	8,259.00
Chapters of Rose Croix ..	10,156.23
Lodges of Perfection ..	17,251.70
Sundries	1.50
Remitted to Grand	<hr/>
Treasurer-General	\$40,918.43

Fraternally submitted,

E. B. THOMPSON 33°
Grand Secretary-General, H.:E.:
Hamilton, July 31st, 1957.

**REPORT OF THE
GRAND TREASURER-GENERAL, H.:E.:
YEAR 1956 - 1957**

To the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the
Thirty-third and Last Degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

I submit a statement of receipts and disbursements, as well as the
investment account, of the Supreme Council for the year ended 31st of
July, 1957.

RECEIPTS

Balance at credit on August 1, 1956:

Canadian Bank of Commerce	\$31,154.41
Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation	4,595.06
	\$35,749.47

Investment Account:

\$16,000 Province of New Brunswick, 3¼ % bonds due May 16, 1957 sold at 99¼	15,880.00
\$20,000 Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation, 3½ % debentures, due February 1, 1958 sold at 98.75, less Ontario tax \$6.00	19,744.00
\$10,000 Toronto Mortgage Company 3¾ % debenture matured	10,000.00
	45,624.00

Revenue Account:

Received from Secretary-General	40,918.43
Interest on investments	11,821.61
Bank interest	155.96
	52,896.00
	\$134,269.47

DISBURSEMENTS**Revenue Account:**

General expenses, including salaries, rent, insurance, etc.	\$31,451.67
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Investment Account:

\$15,000 Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario 4½% bonds due October 15, 1974	\$14,550.00
\$16,000 Province of Ontario 4½% debentures, due December 1, 1976	15,520.00
\$10,000 Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto 5% bonds, due February 1, 1977	9,750.00
\$20,000 City of Hamilton 5¼% bonds, due December 15, 1971	19,700.00
	<hr/> 59,520.00

Balance at credit on July 31, 1957:

Canadian Bank of Commerce	\$31,294.35
Canada Permanent Mortgage Corporation	12,003.45
	<hr/> 43,297.80
	<hr/> \$134,269.47

SUMMARY OF DISBURSEMENTS**Revenue Account: August 1, 1956 to July 31, 1957**

Canada Permanent Trust Company's fees	\$ 223.18
Auditor	100.00
Past Sovereign Grand Commander, Presentation	424.00
Sovereign Grand Commander, expenses	887.36

Deputies' Expenses:

Alberta	\$ 96.50
British Columbia	67.00
Manitoba	121.35
New Brunswick	56.55
Nova Scotia	278.57
Ontario	634.85
Quebec	54.87
Saskatchewan	160.30
	<hr/> 1,469.99

Committee expenses	216.76
Regalia	1,401.77
Floral tributes	154.90
Insurance	154.20
Printing and Stationery	683.40
Members' list	1,632.40
Supreme Councillor	261.44
S. C. Certificates and cases	1,206.70
Proceedings	2,073.75
Statutes and Regulations	964.84
Sundries	68.06
	<hr/> \$11,922.75

Secretary-General's Office:

J. H. Cuddie, Salary	\$5,000.00	
Expenses	1,380.16	
Annuity	772.32	
Grand Secretary-General, expenses	197.80	
Miss E. Marion Lees, Salary	2,400.00	
Rent	800.00	
Telephone Service Charge and Long Distance Calls	180.15	
Petty Cash	485.94	
	<hr/>	11,216.37

Annual Session:

Session payroll	3,886.80	
Session expenses	4,220.75	
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Treasurer-General:

Miss B. M. Hawkins, bookkeeper	200.00	
Postage	5.00	
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Investment Account:

\$15,000 Hydro Electric Power Commission of Ontario 4½% bonds due October 15, 1974	14,550.00	
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\$10,000 Municipality of Metropolitan Toronto, 5% bonds, due February 1, 1977....	9,750.00	
\$20,000 City of Hamilton 5¼% bonds, due December 15, 1971	19,700.00	
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Balance on deposit	43,297.80	
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		\$134,269.47

SCHEDULE OF INVESTMENTS

THE PROPERTY OF THE SUPREME COUNCIL 33°
A. & A. S. RITE FOR THE DOMINION OF CANADA

SECURITIES	Rate	Due	Pur- chased to Yield	Amount of Debentures
Dominion of Canada	3	1962	3.	16,000.00
British Columbia, Province of	3	1964	2.95	10,000.00
British Columbia, Province of	3	1968	3.05	10,000.00
Manitoba, Province of	3	1967	3.05	20,000.00
New Brunswick, Province of..	4¼	1964	4.44	13,000.00
Nova Scotia, Province of	3	1968	3.05	10,000.00
Ontario, Province of	3	1957/59	2.93	15,000.00
Ontario, Province of	3	1965	3.11	5,000.00
Ontario, Province of	3	1966	2.93	55,000.00
Ontario, Province of	4	1972	4.05	30,000.00
Ontario, Province of	4½	1976	4.73	16,000.00
Ontario, Province of, guar- anteeing, Hydro-Electric Power Comm. of Ontario	4¼	1969	4.32	25,000.00
Ontario, Province of, guar- anteeing Hydro Electric Power Comm. of Ontario	4½	1974	4.75	15,000.00
Ontario, Province of guaranteeing University of Toronto	3	1970	3.	10,000.00
Quebec, Province of	3	1967	2.95	10,000.00
Sandwich, Township of	2	1985	2.	952.17
Hamilton, City of	5¼	1971	5.40	20,000.00
Toronto, City of	3¾	1964	3.75	10,000.00
Toronto, City of Metropolitan	5	1977	5.20	10,000.00
Canada Perm. Mtge. Corp.	3½	1960	3½	25,000.00
Toronto General Trusts Corp.	3¼	1958	3.25	20,000.00
				<hr/> \$345,952.17

The financial transactions of Supreme Council in Capital and operating accounts for the fiscal year ended 31 July, 1957, are summarized in the foregoing statements. Details of all receipts and disbursements together with a complete schedule of investments are appended thereto. A comparative summary of revenue and expense accounts for the past two years is as follows:

Revenue:	1956	1957		
Admissions and Dues	\$38,593.40	\$40,918.43	+	\$2,325.03
Interest	10,928.20	11,977.57	+	1,049.37
Discount on Investments (net)		1,104.00	+	1,104.00
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Gross Revenue	\$49,521.60	\$54,000.00	+	\$4,478.40
 Expenses:				
General Expenses	\$31,689.06	\$31,451.67	—	\$ 237.39
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Surplus	\$17,832.54	\$22,548.33	+	\$4,715.79

The financial result of the year's operations should prove satisfactory to all concerned. The increase in surplus for the year is entirely attributable to increased revenue. The improvement in revenue in round figures is equally divided between admissions and dues from constituent bodies and Supreme Council honorary memberships and invested funds.

In the investment field inflation is still the big issue. Monetary authorities almost everywhere are maintaining or tightening their grip on the money supply, while the demand continues to press upwards on interest rates. The Bank of Canada discount rate, which was 3 per cent on the thirty-first of July, 1956, is now 4.06 per cent. At the present time no concrete indication of a return to freer monetary conditions is apparent. One would be bold indeed to attempt to forecast future developments in so controversial a field. In the meantime there have been opportunities for investment at favourable prices and yields which may not again occur in the foreseeable future.

After full consideration of existing monetary conditions and a comprehensive review of all investments held, your Investment Committee chose long-term high coupon bonds for the investment of surplus funds and the exchange of short-term securities as follows:

Purchased

\$15,000 Ontario Hydro 4½%, 1974, at 97, to yield 4.75 per cent.
 \$16,000 Ontario 4½%, 1976, at 97, to yield 4.73 per cent.
 \$10,000 Metro. Toronto 5%, 1977, at 97.50, to yield 5.20 per cent.
 \$20,000 Hamilton 5¼%, 1971, at 98.50, to yield 5.40 per cent.

Sold and Matured

\$16,000 New Brunswick 3¼%, 1957, at 99.25.
 \$10,000 Toronto Mortgage 3¾%, matured.
 \$20,000 Canada Permanent 3½%, 1958, at 98.75.

The average coupon rate on conversions was 3.46 per cent, compared with 4.82 per cent on purchases, with a capital gain of \$1,104 by way of net discount.

Invested funds as set out in detail, carried at par, now amount to \$345,952.17 and bear an average coupon rate of 3.62 per cent, as compared with a coupon rate of 3.37 per cent a year ago. Securities as listed in the attached schedule are deposited with the Canada Permanent Trust Company as Custodian for Supreme Council. The Trust Company's detailed acknowledgment accompanies this report.

Monetary policy is not responsible for all economic troubles, nor is it a cure-all. But monetary restraints forcibly remind us that more and more dollars are worth less and less. The Dominion Bureau of Statistics' Consumers' Price Index, showing costs on a 1949 base at \$118.5 a year ago now shows an increase to \$121.9, further depreciating currency values proportionately. Again we have no concrete indication of a reversal in trend.

Fraternally submitted,

C. S. HAMILTON 33°,
Grand Treasurer-General, H.E.E.

Toronto, Ont., 31st July, 1957.

On motion, the reports of the Grand Secretary-General and the Grand Treasurer-General were received and referred to the Committee on Audit and Finance.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR ONTARIO

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada;—

Peers and Brethren:

May I preface this report by again acknowledging the continued co-operation and consideration extended me by Illustrious Brother Cunningham, co-deputy for the Province of Ontario. At his suggestion he very generously took over the more distant valleys as well as Hamilton and Niagara Falls leaving for me a rather compact area comprising the valleys of Windsor, Chatham, London, Woodstock, Guelph, Toronto, Peterborough and Barrie, small as regards territory but large in membership, as nearly one third of the total population of Scottish Rite in the Dominion of Canada reside in this area.

Upon reviewing the activities of these valleys since my former report one becomes aware of the consistent thought and planning of the officers and members of the committees to maintain the interest and further the objects of our Order. As a result of their efforts all bodies have had large classes of candidates. If success is to be measured by an increase of membership we have had a favorable year. All Lodges and Chapters have had more initiations than deaths and suspensions. The Rose Croix Chapter in Windsor shows a reduced membership due to the withdrawal of seventy-five of the Sovereign Princes to become Charter members of the new Kent Chapter located at Chatham. This new Chapter was practically sponsored by Windsor Chapter and now has a membership of over one hundred and fifty. The Sovereign Grand Commander granted the petition of Sovereign Princes in this area to form a new chapter, and on his behalf, assisted by members of Supreme Council and the presiding officers of Windsor and London Chapters, Kent Chapter was Instituted on the 19th of January. The ceremony was largely attended by members from the two adjoining chapters and immediately after the Institution the first meeting was held for the purpose of receiving applications. A Spring Re-union held in March had a charter class of about forty. Such progress has been made that I am recommending they be warranted.

The increase in Masonic population has not been restricted to the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite. Other bodies are finding the rooms too small. New bodies are being formed and the problem of space is often secondary to the problem of the availability of that space for emergent meeting, reunions and rehearsals. The Valley of Chatham working with the Four Square Club is actively raising funds to add an

addition or rebuild on another location. The Brethren in Guelph have a fact finding committee to report on their possible solutions. Here let me note that the officers of the other Masonic Bodies have frequently inconvenienced their schedules to permit suitable dates for our Reunions. Their goodwill is much appreciated.

Death has removed five of the Honorary Inspectors General and 334 of our Grand Elect and Sublime Masons. Scarcely had the Autumn meeting started in the Valley of London when Illustrious Brother A. J. Smith 33° died after a short illness. For many years he was chairman of the Property Committee and prepared the Lodge for the meetings and set the props for the degrees. We scarcely realized the contribution he was making for so many years until we sought a successor. The Valley of Guelph lost three Hon. Inspectors General in the persons of Ill.'.Bro.'.Geo DeKleinhans 33°, Kitchener; Ill.'.Bro.'.Ernest Tailby 33°, Kitchener and Ill.'.Bro.'.A. L. Bennett 33°, Galt. These men had rendered a continuous service to many branches of Masonry, and practically died in harness. The Valley of Toronto lost one of its elder members in the person of Ill.'.Bro.'.Olver 33°, who had been semi retired for some time. To the bereaved families we extend our sincerest sympathy.

The following is a general outline of the activities of the Lodges of Perfection. The membership and the time of regular meetings is given as a matter of reference:

PERFECTION

Windsor—936 Members:

Regular meeting 2nd Tuesday. Degrees were worked at every regular meeting with the exception of February when the election of officers and annual reports were the centre of interest. Two reunions are held each year—starting with two degrees at the regular meeting on Tuesday evening and finishing the following Saturday afternoon and evening. This split time table has proven very satisfactory. Our Sov.'.Grand Commander's address was very much appreciated when he attended the Spring Reunion on Saturday April 13th. The Annual Ball and the Annual Stag Party and several visits in a body to craft lodges provides pleasant out of lodge activity. Illustrious Brother Les Meisner 33°, Secretary of the Scottish Rite Bodies had the pleasure of installing his son as master of Ontario Lodge. The large attendance of Scottish Ritters was a tribute to the high esteem the Windsor Valley regards the Meisners.

Chatham—298 Members:

Regular meeting is Tuesday—worked degrees at all regular meetings as well as the Herb Crewe 33 reunion in November and the Walter Watts

reunion in April. The Annual Scottish Rite Ball, held in the William Pitt Hotel again drew a capacity crowd and was enjoyed by many craftsmen and their ladies.

London—1054 Members.

Meets 3rd Monday, works degrees at many regular meetings and at the two Reunions. This year the Spring Reunion dates were split—the 4th and 5th, degrees being worked on the Monday evening and other obligatory degrees the following Saturday afternoon and evening. This reunion honored Illustrious Brother R. T. Orr 33°, Treasurer of both Scottish Rite Bodies for many years. Our Sov. Grand Commander was guest speaker at the Banquet on Saturday evening. His attendance and remarks were much appreciated by the members. Out of Lodge activities include visits (by invitation) to craft lodges and an Annual Ladies' Night at the Hotel London. The seating accommodation in the ball room limits this party to 400 and for several years it has been a sell out. The London Consistory Club (C. J. Hill 33° President) draws its membership from the district. Its two regular meetings consist of a roast beef dinner in the winter and a corn roast in late August or early September. The club sponsors a Hospital Bed Project, places Gatch Beds in private homes to assist in the care of home nursing of bed patients. The service has five outposts and has about 150 beds in its service.

Woodstock—119 Members:

Meets 1st Thursday,—works degrees at regular meetings and at the two reunions. Past S.G.C. Clarence MacLeod Pitts 33° was guest at the dinner hour of the Fall reunion and the Sov.'Grand Commander accepted a similar assignment in April for the Spring reunion. The valley received a great stimulation by the presence of these two very distinguished members. Members from Royal City Lodge installed the officers in February and visiting casts from Kincardine, Lambeth, and London did degree work at the meetings. A well attended Ladies' Night is a much anticipated Annual event.

Royal City (Guelph)—923 Members:

Meets the 3rd Monday, draws its membership from a long narrow territory, distance diminishing the attendance at monthly meetings but increasing the attendance at the two reunions. Degrees are worked at the regular meeting in the Autumn but interesting speakers complete the evening's program in the Spring. Ill.'Bro.'Clarence MacLeod Pitts 33°, Immediate past Sov.'Grand Commander, attended and addressed the Fall reunion in October and Ill.'Bro.'John R. Rumball 33° (Toronto)

recently crowned Active was the guest speaker in April. This Lodge operates a hospital bed service as an out of Lodge activity.

Toronto—2350 Members:

Meets 2nd Monday—holds no reunions but at its regular and emergents members work all the degrees at least once and many of them twice during the year. The limited seating capacity of the Lodge room doubtlessly reduces the attendance. An efficient works committee chaired by Illustrious Brother E. Macaulay Dillon 33° arranges a schedule for the production of degrees and assigns the work to the director of each cast of each degree (duplicate casts for all degrees). The Secretary Ill.^l. Bro. Ernest J. Call 33° prepares a very attractive and interesting notice which includes masonic extracts from a variety of sources. These notices have received favorable comment.

Peterborough—767 Members:

Meets the 4th Monday, works degrees presently throughout the year and holds two one-day reunions that start at 7.30 in the morning. (Coffee break during the morning) and crowds the large lodge room in their new Masonic Temple. Premier Leslie Frost 32° is a member and was guest speaker at the Fall reunion.

Barrie—1453 Members:

Holds three meetings in October,—one for Balloting and the other two for the Reunion and similar meetings in April with the Annual meeting taking place in February. Members residing in the smaller centres have organized degree teams and besides working at the Reunions have accepted invitations to work in other valleys.

Chapters of Rose Croix:

A detailed account of each chapter would be a duplication of the activities of the lodges. Each Chapter patterns its schedule after the lodge in its Valley. All Chapters met on Maundy Thursday for the extinguishing of the "Lights" and reassembled on Easter Sunday to rekindle the "Lights". All Chapters with the exception of London and Toronto meet Easter Sunday morning—some serve breakfast—and report increased attendance over last year. London and Toronto Chapters meet Sunday afternoon. The Easter Message of the Sovereign Grand Commander was included in all the Easter notices and was much appreciated. The obligatory degrees have been worked at each class and the 17th degree in all but two Chapters. It is expected the necessary properties will be obtained to enable these two Chapters to complete their degree work.

Conclusions:

The monthly notices are decidedly more attractive and interesting. Besides the announcement of the next meeting the dates for the reunion are published well in advance. This information is appreciated by the membership.

The properties, including the wardrobes are receiving attention and the improvement to the Guards' uniforms is quite noticeable.

The greater distribution of the degree work, the refurnishing and repairing of the properties, the careful planning of capable officers and the discharge of the responsibilities of the committees, practically assure continued success to the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry in this part of the Province of Ontario.

Humbly submitted,

G. FRED KINGSMILL 33°,
Deputy for Ontario.

Lodges of Perfection:	1956	1957	Net Increase
Barrie	1437	1453	16
Chatham	281	298	17
Superior	678	718	40
Royal City	888	923	35
Murton	3086	3143	57
Kingston	343	349	6
London	1035	1054	19
Elgin	621	637	16
North Bay	693	724	31
Ottawa	1228	1253	25
Peterborough	707	767	60
Sault Ste. Marie	220	238	18
Toronto	2287	2350	63
Windsor	898	936	38
Woodstock	100	119	19
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DEPUTIES FOR ONTARIO

			Net
Chapters of Rose Croix:	1956	1957	Increase
Spry, Barrie	1040	1068	28
Nanna-Bijou	542	568	26
Guelph	566	588	22
Hamilton	2120	2148	28
Rose of Sharon, Kingston	256	268	12
London	763	808	45
North Bay	467	508	41
Murray, Ottawa	822	834	12
Peterborough	440	479	39
Sault Ste. Marie	186	203	17
Toronto	1382	1431	49
Windsor	816	754	—62
Niagara	92	115	23
Kent, Chatham	151	151
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	9492	9923	431
Moore Sovereign Consistory	5064	5256	192
North Star Consistory	251	264	13

EASTER CEREMONIES — 1957

Chapter:	Maundy Thursday	Easter Sunday
Spry, Barrie	251	299
Nanna-Bijou, Fort William	197	209
Guelph	145	125
Hamilton	473	527
Rose of Sharon, Kingston	126	72
London	315	135
North Bay	239	165
Murray, Ottawa	303	138
Peterborough	187	197
Sault Ste. Marie	89	40
Toronto	449	483
Windsor	236	212
Niagara	83	57
Kent, Chatham	103	70
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	3196	2729
Increase over 1956	118	64

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR ONTARIO

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Peers and Brethren:

The past year has been one of steady growth and increasing prosperity. The seven Valleys for which I report are making sound progress under excellent leadership. Officers and degree casts appear to be taking their duties seriously and meetings are made interesting as well as instructive. Attendances are good. Some Valleys find themselves in difficulties when it comes to accommodating the members in the rooms at their disposal. It is an increasing problem and not easy of solution.

Always the grim reaper calls home many beloved members. We sympathize deeply with their loved ones left behind while rejoicing in our associations with men of such integrity and high ideals.

The following eight Honorary Inspectors-General have passed away in my Valleys since last September:—

Ill.°.Bro.°.George Melbourne Brock 33°, St Catharines, Ontario
Coroneted Oct. 4th, 1938—Died Oct. 4th, 1956.

Ill.°.Bro.°.David Bertram Nugent 33°, Ottawa, Ontario
Coroneted Oct. 7th, 1941—Died Jan. 18th, 1957.

Ill.°.Bro.°.William Henry Thomas Keirle 33°, St George, Ontario.
Coroneted Oct. 14th, 1952—Died Jan. 25th, 1957.

Ill.°.Bro.°.Elmer Julian Hudson 33°, Hamilton, Ontario.
Coroneted Sept. 20th, 1955—Died April 14th, 1957.

Ill.°.Bro.°.Charles Frederick Marshall 33°, Hamilton, Ontario.
Coroneted Oct. 14th, 1952—Died May 18th, 1957.

Ill.°.Bro.°.Clarence A. Gardiner Conley 33°, Ottawa, Ontario.
Coroneted Sept. 9th, 1947—Died June 20th, 1957.

Ill.°.Bro.°.James Hamilton Gibson 33°, Hamilton, Ontario.
Coroneted Oct. 5th, 1948—Died July 9th, 1957.

Ill.°.Bro.°.Charles Hammond Martin 33°, Simcoe, Ontario.
Coroneted Oct. 6th, 1942—Died August 16th, 1957.

Several outstanding events require special reporting. On October 19th I flew to Fort William to join a party of 52 Officers and members of Superior Lodge of Perfection who entrained for an over-night run to Kenora. A truck load of paraphernalia and costumes was also shipped

the day before and a carload of enthusiasts drove up to unpack and place them in order at the Legion Hall. Saturday morning, October 20th, 40 candidates from the Kenora and Lake of the Woods area were duly processed and degree work began. The Obligatory degrees were all worked in full, finishing with the 14th Degree in the evening. Luncheon was served in the Kenwood Hotel and dinner in the Masonic Temple by the Shrine Club. A total registration of 85 members enjoyed the work, along with the Class. There were three Active and thirteen Honorary Members of Supreme Council present. Ill.^o.Bro.^o.John R. Evans 33^o, came from Manitoba with Ill.^o.Bros.^o.M. S. Donovan, George Cowan and James D. McKinlay and the Presiding Officers of the Bodies in Winnipeg. Two brethren from the U.S.A. supplied representation from our Sister Jurisdictions in the persons of Ill.^o.Bros.^o.R. B. Doyez 33^o, from Chicago, and A. G. Burleigh, K.^o.C.^o.C.^o.H.^o., Winona. The party from the Lakehead spent Sunday in Kenora and enjoyed church services and an outing on the Lake of the Woods after lunch. The arrangements were splendidly carried out and well worth the effort.

The Constitution of Niagara Chapter of Rose Croix on Thursday evening, January 17th, was another highlight. Ill.^o.Bro.^o.T. K. Wade 33^o, M.^o.P.^o.Sovereign Grand Commander was ably assisted by Ill.^o.Bros.^o.Simpson, Kingsmill, Thompson, Hamilton, Dunlop, Berkinshaw and Rumball. Immediately following the Constitution, the Installation of Officers was conducted by the Installing Team from Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix. Then the Sovereign Grand Commander and his Supreme Council Officers Consecrated the new Chapter. The Ceremonies were most impressively carried out and Niagara Chapter commenced its official career under splendid auspices.

During the past year the Lodges and Chapters have been carrying out a number of visitations for the working of the degrees. Murray Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix, Ottawa, visited North Bay in November to work the 16th Degree and Ill.^o.Bro.^o.Pitts, travelling from Hamilton with Ill.^o.Bros.^o.Jackson, Vila and myself, was their special speaker on November 10th.

Elgin Lodge of Perfection, Niagara Falls, Ontario, and Niagara Lodge of Perfection, Niagara Falls, N.Y., have been inter-visiting for some years now; and again exchanged visits in February last with the approval and sanction of the Sovereign Grand Commanders of both Jurisdictions. Moore Sovereign Consistory, again with the official approval of Sov.^o.Gr.^o.Commanders Wade and Bushnell, enjoyed a visit from the Brethren of Buffalo Consistory in November last when the 21st Degree was presented. These fraternal visits create a splendid spirit of co-operation and fraternalism between the various Valleys and are encouraged whenever feasible.

It has been my very great pleasure on behalf of Supreme Council to make a considerable number of presentations of the 50 Year Pins to members of Murton Lodge of Perfection and Ottawa Lodge of Perfection, and also on behalf of Ill.'.Bro.'.Steeves, of Saint John, N.B., when one of their members Ill.'.Bro.'.Scovil, now resident in the Grimsby area, received his at a meeting of Murton Lodge of Perfection in Hamilton.

Several members of Supreme Council have been kind enough to make special visits to the homes of Brethren who were eligible for these Pins and in every instance we have found the recipients particularly happy and proud to receive and wear these Pins on all suitable occasions.

Other visits since last September include:

Sept. 25th, 1956—Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix, Election and Installation of Officers.

Nov. 10th, 1956—North Bay Rose Croix Chapter.

Mar. 25th-28th, 1957—Ottawa Lodge and Murray Chapter.

Mar. 29th, 1957—Kingston, Rose Croix Chapter.

Apr. 11th, 1957—Election of Officers and Installation, Elgin Lodge of Perfection.

Apr. 26th, 1957—Brantford Scottish Rite Association, Annual Dinner.

May 3rd, 1957—North Star Consistory, Fort William, Spring Reunion. Ill.'.Bro.'.Pow's illness made a difficult time for the Officers of North Star Consistory, but they rallied splendidly and with the valuable help of Ill.'.Bro.'.C. M. Dent, who also went to Fort William to assist, the meeting was well carried out and the degrees well presented.

The Easter meeting attendances are listed with the other statistics relative to the various Bodies. Again there have been good attendances at those various outside points where the Informal Easter Ceremonies have been observed. The North Bay and Ottawa Valleys have been sponsoring such meetings for several years to the satisfaction of all concerned.

All in all, it has been a most happy and successful year in Scottish Rite Freemasonry in Ontario, where the attendances have not only been good at the meetings of the Bodies themselves, but wherever Scottish Rite Clubs and Associations are located. Their meetings have been interesting and also well attended.

Fraternally submitted,

C. H. CUNNINGHAM 33°,
Depnty for Ontario.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

Once again it is my privilege to report on the activities of the Scottish Rite in the Province of Quebec, for the year ending June 30th, 1957.

Valley of Montreal:

I was able to attend all the meetings of the three bodies in this Valley held this year.

The Degree work in all three bodies was of a very high order. For the first time, the Consistory conferred the 29°, in a very creditable manner.

It was my privilege to preside at the installation of the officers of the three bodies, with Ill. Bro. L. C. Martin 32°, as T. P. G. M., Ill. Bro. J. T. Whiteford 32°, as M. W. S., and Ill. Bro. Gordon M. Barrie 32°, as Commander-in-Chief. Under the guidance of these well-skilled brethren we can look forward to another year of progress in this Valley.

Valley of Quebec:

I attended the reunions of the two bodies of this Valley.

The Lodge of Perfection held its reunion on November 24th, 1956, when we were privileged to have with us our Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. Thos. K. Wade 33°, Ill. Bro. Arthur Cross 33°, Grand Chancellor and Ill. Bro. J. McL. Marshall 33°, S. G. I. G., accompanying him. His address to the brethren was much appreciated. Twelve brethren received the 14°, the intermediate degrees being conferred by teams from Montreal, Thetford Mines, the Saguenay District and by the officers of the Quebec Lodge.

The Chapter of Rose Croix held its reunion on March 23rd, 1957, at which nine brethren received their degrees. The 15° was conferred by brethren from Montreal, and the 18° by the officers of the Quebec Chapter.

The Quebec bodies draw most of their members from outlying Districts. In fact none of the twelve initiates of this year reside in that city, coming as they do from the Gaspé, Saguenay, North Shore and Thetford Mines district. It is gratifying to note that these members take an active interest in the Rite and, as noted above, participate in the degree work.

As the statistical report shows, the year has been one of steady, if slow progress. All bodies show an increase in membership.

Easter Ceremonies:

While our Maundy Thursday ceremonies show a small increase in attendance, the Easter Sunday attendance shows a slight decrease. Again this year, we are glad to note an increasing attendance in the outlying districts at the informal ceremonies.

Obituary:

I regret to have to record the passing to Higher Service of one of our Honorary Inspectors-General, in the person of Ill.^o.Bro.^o.Walter Russell Bradford 33^o, who passed away on April 12th, 1957.

Brother Bradford, who was Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Quebec at the time of his passing, was a tower of strength to Masonry in the Eastern Townships, where he was a life long resident and held in high esteem. His sound judgment and genial personality will be sorely missed, not only in Scottish Rite circles, but in Masonic circles generally.

Fraternally submitted,

R. W. LOUTHOD 33^o,
Deputy for Quebec.

STATISTICAL REPORT

Lodges of Perfection

	1956	Init.	Aff.	Deaths	With- drawals	Suspen- sions	1957
Hochelaga	696	31	3	12	3	715
Quebec	135	12	3	1	143
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	831	43	3	15	4	858
						Increase	27

Chapters of Rose Croix

	1956	Init.	Aff.	Deaths	With- drawals	Suspen- sions	1957
Hochelaga	641	37	2	10	3	667
Quebec	112	9	3	118
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	753	46	2	13	3	785
						Increase	32

Montreal Sovereign Consistory

	1956	Init.	Aff.	Deaths	With- drawals	Suspen- sions	1957
	673	48	....	12	3	....	706
						Increase	33

Easter Ceremonies

	1956		1957	
	Maundy Thursday	Easter	Maundy Thursday	Easter
Hochelaga	164	243	192	226
Quebec	47	34	39	34
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	211	277	231	260

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR THE PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

Herewith I present my Annual Report as Deputy for the Province of New Brunswick on the activities of the Rite for the year ending June 30th, 1957.

Necrology:

With sadness we record the loss of seven Brethren, five of whom were Sovereign Princes of Rose Croix, and four were Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret. We mourn their going and honor their memory. Particularly distressing was the accidental death of three of them in an air fatality on January 22nd, whose remains were not recovered until several months later. Ill.^o.Bro.^o.Howard Smith 32°, was Senior Grand Warden of Moncton Lodge of Perfection and had made a large contribution to the organization of this new Lodge.

Lodges of Perfection:

There is a small increase in the combined membership of the two Lodges for the year. For the past two years the Craft Membership in this Grand Lodge has shown a slight decrease, and this may have some bearing on the failure to show greater numerical progress in the Rite. Details are given in the Statistical Appendix.

The Saint John Lodge held all Regular Meetings and conferred the 4th and 5th Degrees on three initiates. On Feb. 12th, with the assistance of Members of Supreme Council, I installed the new Officers for the current year.

Moncton Lodge continues to thrive. On February 22nd Installation of Officers was carried out by the Deputy assisted by Members of Supreme Council, after their ceremonial reception. On May 25th a very successful Reunion was held when twenty candidates of their own Valley and three from Saint John Lodge received the 14th Degree. The 4th, 5th, 7th, 9th, 13th, and 14th were conferred in full in a highly satisfactory manner.

The presence of Ill.^o.Bro.^o.John H. Cuddie 33°, Assistant Grand Secretary-General was greatly appreciated. His genial manner and witty

comments made him many new friends and strengthened old ties. His advice was always timely and beneficial. We hope he returns before too long.

On October 22nd, 1956, the Sovereign Grand Commander paid an official visit to Moncton Lodge of Perfection. He was accompanied by Ill. Bro. George A. Newbury 33°, Deputy for the District of New York. The reception accorded these two distinguished members of the Rite was in genuine appreciation of the honor conferred the Lodge, and the occasion is one that will long be remembered by those privileged to participate in it. A Banquet was held at the Brunswick Hotel, following which adjournment was made to the Lodge premises. The guests and members of Supreme Council were received by the Lodge in official ceremonial. The 4th Degree was conferred on a class of twenty. At the conclusion of the work the Sovereign Grand Commander addressed the gathering with special attention to the new members, whom he welcomed individually at the closing of the Lodge. Ill. Bro. Newbury also addressed the members in a very interesting and acceptable manner.

Suitable presentations were made to both visitors by the Lodge.

Harington Chapter of Rose Croix:

All Regular Meetings including the Easter Observances were held during the year. This Chapter is to be congratulated on its activity which resulted in a net increase in its membership of 28. Ill. Bro. Rev. Dr. Arthur E. Coleman 33°, serving his second year as Most Worshipful Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of New Brunswick, and with preparation for removal from the Jurisdiction was unable to give the attention to the duties of Most Wise Sovereign that he would otherwise have done. Both he and I are very grateful for the acceptance of the duties of this Office by Ill. Bros. George A. Ingraham 33°, and Roy W. Merryweather 32°, particularly in connection with the Easter Ceremonies.

The Maundy Thursday Ceremony was well attended. By custom in this Valley a Reunion is held and this brings a larger than usual gathering. A class of 34 received all the degrees of the chapter during the day, the 15th and 18th Degrees being conferred in full, and the intervening degrees being communicated.

A large increase in attendance is recorded at the Feast of the Paschal Lamb, but despite the efforts of Ill. Bros. Pickard 33°, and Robinson 33°, at Fredericton and Moncton respectively, the Easter Day response is disappointing. Attendance details appear in the statistical appendix.

The Chapter was particularly fortunate this year in having for the special speaker at the Feast of the Paschal Lamb, Ill. Bro. Irving E. Partridge, Jr, 33°, Active Member for the State of Connecticut. He was

accompanied to the Valley by Mrs. Partridge, and their genial presence will always be a happy memory to those who met them. Bro. Partridge's address, pertinent to the occasion was thought-provoking and appreciated by all. I record my appreciation to Sov. Prince Leck and Mrs. Leck for their courtesy in providing a motor drive and the hospitality of their home.

Ill.'.Bro.'.Rev. Dr. Arthur E. Coleman 33°, resigned as Most Wise Sovereign, owing to his removal to Quebec City on his appointment as Dean of the Cathedral in that City. On April 25th, with the assistance of members of Supreme Council, I installed Ill.'.Bro.'.James S. Hoyt 33°, as Most Wise Sovereign, and the other Officers.

New Brunswick Consistory:

Beyond convening the three regular meetings for routine business, no other activity is to be reported. Several candidates are in waiting for the Degrees but until more are secured it was thought inadvisable to hold a reunion. Through the courtesy of Moore Sovereign Consistory one of our members now resident in Toronto, received the Degrees in Hamilton on May 10th, 1957. We record our appreciation of this. Our membership is three less than last year.

Fifty Year Buttons:

This decoration was awarded to three of our members. Ill.'.Bro.'.Charles F. Sanford 33°, Past Active, and Ill.'.Bro.'.A. Griffith Bishop 32°, both of whom entered the Rite in 1905. Both were present at the Lodge on January 14th to receive their decorations.

Ill.'.Bro.'.Rev. Archdeacon George F. Scovil 32°, now resident in Grimsby, Ont., received his button in Murton Lodge of Perfection on February 5th at the hands of Ill.'.Bro.'.C. H. Cunningham 33°, Deputy for Ontario. It is the hope of the Brethren that these members will be able to enjoy these tokens of their fidelity for years yet, so that we may have their friendship and inspiration.

Church Service:

For the first time in recent years a Scottish Rite Church Service was held at St Mary's Anglican Church, on Sunday Morning, May 12th. The Rector, Sovereign Prince Rev. W. C. Martin 18°, delivered an impressive sermon from Eph. 2, 19-22. The lessons were read by the T.'.P.'.G.'.M.'.Ill.'.Bro.'.Gordon J. Redstone 32°, and the Deputy.

The "Supreme Councillor":

The publication of the first issue was welcomed and many would like to see it repeated and extended in content. The abbreviated Pro-

ceedings of Supreme Council are of interest to many who do not see the complete record.

While I am unable to report the growth in numerical strength of other years, I am confident that the enthusiasm for the Rite is still high and look forward for the resumption of activity in the Fall. I acknowledge the continued assistance and guidance of the Grand Secretary's office, the co-operation of Members of Supreme Council, Officers and Members of local Bodies, and with their continued help I am optimistic of the influence the Rite will continue to exert in the lives of its members.

With the closing of this Report I express my continued appreciation for the honor of serving Supreme Council in the office of Deputy for New Brunswick. I re-affirm my allegiance and fealty, not only for myself but for the Brethren of the Valleys in this Province to the Sovereign Grand Commander and the Supreme Council and pray for the blessing of the Great Architect of the Universe on their efforts.

Respectfully and fraternally,

CLARENCE McN. STEEVES 33°,
Deputy for New Brunswick.

STATISTICAL REPORT

	1956		1957		
Lodges of Perfection:		Additions	Loss	Net	Difference
Saint John	604	4	16	592	—12
Moncton	159	21	4	176	17
	—	—	—	—	—
Total	763	25	20	768	5
Harrington Chapter	362	34	6	390	28
New Brunswick					
Consistory	252	1	4	249	—3

EASTER CEREMONIES

	1956		1957	
	Maundy Thursday	Easter Day	Maundy Thursday	Easter Day
Attendance	126	123	161	120
Per cent	34.7	34.1	42.3	30.7
Informal Ceremonies:				
Fredericton		29		27
Moncton		36		40

Craft Membership, Grand Lodge of N.B. (1956) 8995; (1957) 8952.
Per Cent A. & A.S.R. (1956) 8.4; (1957) 8.6.

**REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR NOVA SCOTIA,
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND AND NEWFOUNDLAND**

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Illustrious Brethren:

It is my privilege to report another year of progress in Scottish Rite Masonry in the Valleys of Halifax and Summerside.

Numerically, our membership increased by three per cent to a total of 1,063. We lost twenty members by death.

In both Valleys carefully planned programmes were carried out with an effectiveness of effort that is worthy of special commendation to the officers of our constituent bodies. The already established high quality of work in the presentation and dramatization of degrees continues to show an improvement which is having a beneficial influence in the matter of attendance at the regular meetings of Lodges, Chapter and Consistory.

Your Deputy feels that he should again refer to the keen interest in the success of the Rite displayed by those senior and experienced brethren who comprise the membership of Supreme Council resident in the Atlantic Provinces of Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island and Newfoundland. Faithful in attendance, always ready to serve on any committee to which they may be assigned these Inspectors-General are pleased to meet periodically with the officers of the Lodges, Chapter and Consistory for the discussion of matters pertaining to the successful administration of these constituent bodies.

The financial position of all Scottish Rite groups in this area is strong.

The Valley of Halifax suffered a great loss in the passing on January 24th, of Ill.'Bro.'H. Seymour Hamilton 33°, Grand Secretary Emeritus of Victoria Lodge of Perfection and Nova Scotia Consistory, and Registrar Emeritus of Keith Sovereign Chapter Rose Croix. One of the most faithful and enthusiastic workers in the interest of Freemasonry Seymour Hamilton will be missed by his many friends throughout Canada.

The outstanding feature of the past year's program of Scottish Rite activities in Nova Scotia was the Reunion of Victoria Lodge of Perfection in Halifax on October 24th, 25th and 26th, at which all of the Perfection Degrees, with the exception of the 10th and 11th, were conferred in extenso on a class of 49 candidates. Our guests of honor on this occasion were our Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill.'.Bro.'.Thomas K. Wade 33°, and the Grand Minister of State for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the United States of America, Ill.'.Bro.'.George A. Newbury 33°, who is also Deputy for the District of New York. The presence of these Illustrious brethren contributed greatly to the success of the Reunion.

The annual Church Service of Scottish Rite Masons in the Valley of Halifax was held on Sunday, November 4th, in the First Baptist Church, with an attendance of more than three hundred and fifty, who heard an excellent sermon preached by the Minister of the Church, Rev. H. M. DeWolfe, B.A., B.D. The Scriptures were read by Ill.'.Bro.'.Harvey R. Doane 32°, Thrice Puissant Grand Master of Victoria Lodge of Perfection.

A most successful Reunion of Keith Sovereign Chapter Rose Croix was held on November 7th-8th with 47 members of the Rite receiving the Chapter degrees.

The annual Reunion of Nova Scotia Consistory took place on February 22nd-23rd; it was very well attended notwithstanding the inclement weather prevailing at the time. Thirty-nine members received their 30th, 31st and 32nd degrees.

The attendance at our Easter services this year was most gratifying. In addition to the 353 members of the Chapter who assembled at the Nova Scotian Hotel in Halifax on Maundy Thursday, other groups attended at special meetings in Sydney and Summerside, bringing the total reported attendance to an unprecedented 394. Attendance at the three centres on Easter Sunday totalled 278.

The closing function of the Scottish Rite year in the Valley of Halifax was again a most successful Ladies' Night held in the Lord Nelson Hotel, Halifax, on April 27th.

The brethren in the Valleys of Halifax and Summerside were greatly pleased to learn that Supreme Council at its annual meeting held in Hamilton last September had seen fit to crown Ill.'.Bro.'.Albert E. Fowles 33°, of Halifax, a Sovereign Grand Inspector-General. A long-time

Mason, associated with the Scottish Rite in Nova Scotia since 1943, Brother Fowles has always exhibited an unusual capacity for organization, administration and hard work. He is a tower of strength to the Rite in this area.

With the formation, in Sydney, on December 8th, of the Cape Breton Scottish Rite Club, under the direction of Ill. Bro. M. R. Chappell 33°, as its first President, we now have four such Clubs in Nova Scotia, all of which are in a flourishing condition. These Clubs are of great assistance in the assimilation into the fellowship of Scottish Rite Masonry of our steadily increasing membership.

The members of the constituent bodies in the Valley of Halifax are looking forward with keen anticipation to the opportunity that will again be theirs to receive and welcome the Illustrious brethren of Supreme Council and their ladies when they attend at the Annual Meeting to be held in Halifax on September 9th to 12th inclusive. As one who has watched the activities of our "1957 Committee" since it was formed five years ago, I feel I can state with confidence that our visitors will not be disappointed.

Fraternally submitted,

LAURIE ELLS 33°,
Deputy for the Provinces of
Nova Scotia, Prince Edward Island
and Newfoundland.

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR MANITOBA

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

As Deputy for the Province of Manitoba, I have the honor to present the following report on Scottish Rite Masonry in Manitoba for the year ending June 30th, 1957.

General Condition:

I am happy in the thought that Scottish Rite Masonry in Manitoba continues in wholesome progress.

With pleasure I refer to the unusually fine degree work throughout the year and to the continued splendid interest on the part of the brethren. Our policy to have more of our younger members participate in the various degrees is continuing to work out to good effect, giving rise to a greater loyalty to the Rite and to a keener desire to serve.

Numerical Strength:

While statistical information regarding our numerical strength will be found at the end of this report, I feel that I should point out here that in spite of our general progress of interest in the Rite as referred to above, our net percentage increases in all bodies within our Province are considerably lower than usual, and this in itself is not what we would like to see. While the reason for this relative reduction in numbers is not altogether apparent, a partial explanation is found in the relatively large number of withdrawals during the year.

Removal by Death:

During the year 1956-57, eighty-seven of our number passed on to the "Great Beyond"—seventy from the Valley of Winnipeg, and seventeen from the Valley of Brandon. These figures are quite high as compared with the corresponding figures for the year 1955-56 of thirty-five and twelve, respectively.

Further in this connection, it is of significance to note that the number of our members in Manitoba over sixty years of age is relatively high. It might be well, therefore, to think in terms of a stronger appeal to craft Masons of a lower age bracket when seeking candidates for Perfection.

Of those who have passed from our mortal association, I would like to pay tribute to the lives they lived among us and to exalt them in our memory as good men and true. It was a blessing for us to have had the privilege of knowing them and a challenge for us to emulate their good works. Truly, life for us who remain will be richer, and the future brighter because they passed our way and for a time, at least, dwelt among us.

Attendance:

I am pleased to report that the attendance has been reasonably good in all bodies of the Rite during the past year.

In this connection I should like to point out that in the Winnipeg Valley new and improved quarters have been provided to accommodate the Scottish Rite bodies, and this in itself has been influential in stimulating the interest and in raising the attendance of the members.

Reunions:

Once again a real and wholesome interest was taken in the organization of and the carrying through of our reunion programmes of degree work. Through this type of effort much is accomplished yearly in promoting the interests of the Rite, notwithstanding the fact that all the degrees are not conferred on such occasions.

Special Occasions:

Under this caption I would like to make brief reference to a rather outstanding gathering of representatives of the various Lodges of Perfection of the Provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba which met in Regina on March 16th, 1957. This meeting was called through the instigation of Ill.^o.Bro.^o.D. A. Roy McCannel 33^o, Deputy for Saskatchewan, with a view to enabling the representatives of the different Lodges to discuss the best methods and procedures involved in conferring the various Perfection degrees. Undoubtedly the Conference proved to be most interesting and informative and of real value to all who were privileged to attend.

In this connection I am happy to mention too, that Ill.^o.Bro.^o.C. H. Cunningham, 33^o, Deputy for Ontario and Chairman of our Committee on Rituals, was able to be present and to give valuable suggestions in the discussions.

Easter Celebrations:

It is a pleasure to report that our Easter Ceremonies were well attended and conducted with dignity and to very good effect. In the

Valley of Winnipeg interest was stimulated by the new and better accommodation made available this year for the first time. I am satisfied that this new interest will be sustained.

Figures showing the attendance at our Easter Ceremonies will be found in the statistics given at the end of this report.

It was a pleasure for me personally to meet with the brethren of London Chapter Rose Croix this year and to enjoy the fellowship of Maundy Thursday.

Elections and Installations:

The usual elections followed by the customary installation ceremonies were carried out in the prescribed manner in both Valleys. I was pleased to see the calibre of men elected to office and was proud to note the many indications of loyalty and goodwill revealed as they assumed responsibility for their respective offices. Under the influence of such worthy men our Scottish Rite Bodies in Manitoba will continue to prosper.

It is worth noting here too, that I have been pleased to see that many of the younger men of the Rite are giving themselves more freely and consistently in helping to carry the work in all Bodies.

Courtesies and Acknowledgments:

I find it difficult to adequately express my gratitude for the many courtesies extended to me throughout the year by so many. Expressions of kindness and goodwill were abundantly evident from many sources and I acknowledge them all with deep appreciation.

To our Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, our Grand Secretary-General and our Assistant Grand Secretary and staff, I would once again, extend a special word of thanks for the thoughtful and generous co-operation given so freely at all times.

With gratitude I refer, too, to the splendid assistance given to me by members of Supreme Council in Manitoba and by the officers of all our Scottish Rite Bodies.

I record with pleasure, also, the very co-operative attitude of the Illustrious Deputies of other Provinces and express appreciation of their readiness in arranging for degrees of courtesy whenever desired.

And finally, I would like to express my thanks for the privilege of serving the interests of the Scottish Rite in the Province of Manitoba. It is indeed a high honor to be asked to represent, Provincially, our Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander. In attempting to do so I have been deeply conscious of my relative inability and my many shortcomings. However, I have enjoyed the stimulating experiences of fellowship made available in the year's work and am proud to have participated, even in a small way, in the activities of Supreme Council as Deputy for Manitoba.

Fraternally submitted,

J. R. EVANS 33°,
Deputy for Manitoba.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY

Numerical Strength and Progress:

	Membership		Net	Per Cent
	1956	1957	Increase	Increase
Winnipeg Lodge of Perfection	1087	1106	19	1.7
Brandon Lodge of Perfection	297	298	1	0.37
Bethesda Chapter Rose Croix	877	879	2	0.22
Brandon Chapter Rose Croix	194	197	3	1.5
Manitoba Consistory	809	821	12	1.4

Attendance—Easter Ceremonies:

	Per Cent			Per Cent		
	Maundy Thurs.	Maundy Thurs.	Per Cent Increase	Easter Sun.	Easter Sun.	Per Cent Increase
Bethesda Chapter Rose Croix	461	53.6	6.6	465	52.6	3.7
Brandon Chapter Rose Croix	96	48.2	8.6	93	47.2	1.5

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

Once again I am privileged as Deputy for the Province of British Columbia to present my Report.

I am pleased to be able to report the degree work and the business of the various Valleys continues to be conducted in a very impressive and efficient manner. The Officers are capable and conscientious in the performance of their duties and many of the Brethren who are not officers contribute of their time and talents in conferring the degrees.

The outstanding event of the year was the visit of our M.:P.: Sovereign Grand Commander to the various Valleys. It was my privilege and pleasure to accompany the Sovereign Grand Commander to the various Valleys with the exception of Nelson. Unfortunately the weather was such as to prevent the plane landing at Castlegar and thus I was prevented from getting to Nelson.

I had arranged to make a further visit to Nelson on the occasion of their Reunion but my duties at the Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia prevented my doing so.

The various Lodges of Perfection conferred Degrees on the visit of the Sovereign Grand Commander, who expressed himself as being pleased with the work.

In all the Valleys the Sovereign Grand Commander was entertained at the banquet table and there, as well as in the Lodge Room, he was good enough to address the Brethren. All Valleys have conveyed to me their very deep appreciation of having had a visit from Ill.:Bro.:T. K. Wade 33°, whose addresses were inspiring.

A number of the Vancouver Brethren were happy to have as their luncheon guest our dearly loved Immediate Past Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill.:Bro.:C. MacL. Pitts 33°, who was in Vancouver for a few days attending a Convention of his Church.

I was again disappointed in being unable to visit the Nelson Bodies but circumstances over which I had no control prevented me doing so. Ill.:Bro.:H. D. Harrison 33°, again very kindly acted as my representative and reports very favourably on the work.

It was again my privilege to install the Officers of the Vancouver Lodge of Perfection and Chapter Rose Croix. In these very pleasant duties I was pleased to have the assistance of Honorary Members of Supreme Council.

I attended the Easter Ceremonies of the Rose Croix in Vancouver and although the attendance was slightly less than the previous year, the work was carried on in a very acceptable manner.

The attendance at our Easter Services in both Vancouver and Victoria show a decrease in attendance as compared with the previous year. The explanation in both cases would appear to be caused by the Lodge facilities being too small. It was necessary in both cases to hold the meetings away from the Lodge Rooms and even this accommodation was not too satisfactory.

I had the pleasure of being at the services in Vancouver and was very pleased with the impressive manner in which the services were conducted, and I am sure that those Knights who were in attendance were spiritually benefitted. Honorary Members of Supreme Council who attended in Victoria, Vernon and Nelson, have reported to me very favourably on the services held in those Valleys.

Attached hereto is the Statistical Report which shows an increase in membership in all Valleys except Kokanee (Nelson) which Valley has lost five members by death.

Attached hereto is also a Statistical Report of the attendance at the Easter Services.

The Grim Reaper has been very busy the past year and forty-eight of our Members have gone to the Grand Lodge above. Our sincere sympathy is extended to those loved ones who remain behind. We were particularly shocked at the passing of Ill.'.Bro.'.Dr. Eric W. Boak 33° of Victoria, who passed to his reward after a short illness. Ill.'.Bro.'.Boak was a tower of strength in the Victoria Bodies and was to me a very close friend and adviser. His passing is deeply regretted by all those whose privilege it was to be associated with him.

I am pleased to report that the only Dispensation required of me during the past year was from the Victoria Chapter Rose Croix for a change in meeting place for the Easter Services.

The fraternal relationship of the Grand Lodge of British Columbia and the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite continues to be all that we could desire.

I would like to take advantage of this opportunity of expressing my sincere and deep appreciation of the assistance and valuable advice of that grand and outstanding Freemason who has contributed so much to Freemasonry in general and Scottish Rite Masonry in particular, my immediate predecessor as Deputy, Ill.^o.Bro.^o.W. C. Ditmars 33^o, Past Active Member, who will celebrate his ninety-second birthday this coming November; a real Freemason.

Again I should like to express my sincere appreciation to our Grand Secretary-General, Ill.^o.Bro.^o.Ernest B. Thompson and his beloved assistant, Ill.^o.Bro.^o.John Cuddie, who make our task much easier.

My sincere thanks is also extended to the members of this Supreme Council for the honour of serving as its Deputy in British Columbia and I beg to re-affirm my allegiance and fealty as well as that of the Scottish Rite Members of British Columbia to the Supreme Council and our worthy Sovereign Grand Commander.

Sincerely and fraternally submitted,

GEORGE C. DERBY 33^o,
Deputy for the Province
of British Columbia.

STATISTICAL REPORT

Following is the statistical table for the year 1957, showing the increase in membership by Valleys:

	1956	1957	Increase
(Kootenay) Nelson	172	169	— 3
Vancouver	880	911	+31
(Okanagan) Vernon	160	168	+ 8
Victoria	293	299	+ 6
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	1505	1547	+42

CHAPTERS ROSE CROIX

Kokanee (Nelson)	59	58	— 1
Vancouver	725	740	+15
Moray (Vernon)	104	107	+ 3
Victoria	192	203	+11
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	1080	1108	+28
B. C. Consistory	726	753	+27

Following is a table showing the attendance at the Easter Services in the Chapters Rose Croix:

	1957		1956		
	Thurs.	Sun.	Thurs.	Sun.	Difference
Moray (Vernon)	58	57	54	54	+ 7
Vancouver	535	230	560	301	—96
Kokanee (Nelson)	36	33	34	23	+12
Victoria	145	61	156	66	—16

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

I present herewith my report covering the activities of the Scottish Rite Bodies in Alberta for the past year. It has been a privilege to serve the Supreme Council as Deputy in this rapidly-developing Province.

With deep regret, the passing of Ill.'.Bro.'.George Frederick Ellis 33°, on April 4th, 1957, is recorded. Ill.'.Bro.'.Ellis was an ardent worker in the interest of Scottish Rite Masonry in this Province and a full account of his activities will be found in "In Memoriam".

The various Valleys in Alberta suffered the loss of thirty Brethren from their ranks who were called to Higher Service in the Eternal Mansions Beyond and to their relatives and friends our heartfelt sympathy is expressed in their bereavement.

During the past year it was my pleasure to visit all the Alberta Valleys on many occasions and it is gratifying to report that the work is being conducted well and truly in the best traditions of our Order. The degrees are conferred in an excellent manner in all Valleys, where it is also pleasing to note a substantial increase in membership.

A set of By-laws for Chinook Chapter of Rose Croix, Lethbridge, was duly approved by the Sovereign Grand Commander and they are now in use by that Chapter.

On the 6th of October last year, in company with Ill.'.Bro.'.Dr. W. A. Henry 33°, I attended at Red Deer where, at the request of the Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, I Instituted Central Alberta Lodge of Perfection (U.D.) in the presence of many Brethren from the other Alberta Valleys and including twenty-three Honorary Inspectors-General.

This new Valley is most appreciative of the generous assistance and co-operation of the other Valleys in Alberta in assisting them in their formative stage and, with the co-operation of all, the Lodge is steadily advancing. They now have fifty-two members and I am recommending to the Sovereign Grand Commander and the Committee on Dispensations and Warrants that a Charter be granted. There is every indication they are well able to carry on and maintain the high ideals of Scottish Rite Masonry in their Valley.

On Saturday, June 8th, they conferred the 14°, which was followed by a banquet and Ladies' Night, and which was largely attended by Brethren and their ladies from all parts of the Province.

On October 24th last, the Annual Fall Reunion of Alberta Consistory was held in Edmonton. Seventy-three members were received. There was a large attendance of Brethren and the degrees were excellently exemplified.

On January 19th I visited the Lethbridge Lodge of Perfection on the occasion of their Reunion. The 14° was conferred in an afternoon session and, in the evening, there was a banquet and Ladies' Night at the Marquis Hotel when many Brethren from Southern Alberta and their ladies were present to enjoy the event.

The Annual Ladies' Night and Banquet of Calgary Lodge of Perfection was held on January 30th at the Palliser Hotel, with a splendid attendance. On the following evening the 14° was conferred with Past T.P.G.M. Bro. Lloyd McPhee and the officers and other Past T.P.G. Masters conferring the degree in the absence of T.P.G.M. Bro. H. A. Mallery, who was ill at that time but who, I am glad to say, is now well on the road to recovery.

On Monday, March 4th, the Calgary Brethren were highly honored by a visit from our M.P. Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. Thos. K. Wade 33°. The meeting was preceded by a banquet attended by many of the Brethren, who were privileged to hear a splendid address by our distinguished guest and which was much appreciated by all. Following the banquet the 4° was conferred. On Tuesday a luncheon was tendered our guest at the Palliser Hotel when twenty-one Brethren were present, these being members of Supreme Council and officers of Calgary Lodge of Perfection and Delta Chapter of Rose Croix. It is the sincere wish that next year our Sovereign Grand Commander will be able to visit the other Valleys in Alberta.

The Fifty-first Annual Reunion of Edmonton Lodge of Perfection was held on the 6th, 7th and 8th of March, 1957. Over sixty candidates were received and, as always, the degrees were conferred in a most impressive manner. The customary banquet and Ladies' Night at the Macdonald Hotel was largely attended and enjoyed by all.

Again this year the Maundy Thursday and Easter Sunday morning Ceremonies were well attended, as statistics attached will show.

On March 16th of this year, the Brethren from the Alberta Valleys were delighted to attend a Lodge of Instruction for Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba Lodges of Perfection, called by the Ill. Deputy for

Saskatchewan, Ill.'.Bro.'.Roy McCannel 33°, with a view to considering the ritualistic work of the various degrees 4 - 14. A full discussion was given each degree and much benefit should accrue from the free interchange of ideas presented by members of the various Valleys.

We were fortunate in having with us Ill.'.Bro.'.Chas. H. Cunningham 33°, Deputy for Ontario and Chairman of the Committee On Rituals and Ritualistic Matter of Supreme Council, whose wide knowledge and experience was of inestimable value in the discussions. He made many worthwhile suggestions for improvement in our ritualistic work.

Ill.'.Bro.'.McCannel is to be warmly commended for his efforts in bringing this Conference about and for its outstanding success. A similar Conference to consider the other degrees would appear to be a worthwhile venture for some future date.

Having in mind the increasing population and expansion of our Province, the formation of a Consistory in Calgary has been under consideration for some time and a Petition, signed by many Brethren residing in Southern Alberta, has been presented to the Sovereign Grand Commander. The Alberta Consistory is in full accord with the formation of a second Consistory in Alberta and it is hoped the Petition will receive the favourable consideration of the Committee on Dispensations and Warrants and the Supreme Council.

The Alberta Valleys continue to enjoy the fullest co-operation from the other Valleys in the conferring of degrees as a courtesy to Alberta Brethren and it is always a pleasure for our Valleys here to reciprocate.

It is gratifying to report that the financial condition of all Bodies is in a healthy state. The Almoner's Fund is administered in a sympathetic and helpful manner and all worthy cases receive immediate attention.

Ill.'.Bro.'.George Cromie 33°, because of lengthy illness, relinquished the offices of Grand Secretary of the Calgary Lodge of Perfection and Registrar of Delta Chapter of Rose Croix, in which capacity he rendered invaluable service for many years. I am very happy to report, however, that his health is improving and he is now well on the road to recovery. It is our hope he may long be spared to serve Scottish Rite Masonry in this Province.

I gladly express my thanks and appreciation for the co-operation at all times of Ill.'.Bro.'.W. A. Henry 33°, and all Alberta Honorary Members of Supreme Council, which has made the year so pleasant and happy.

My personal thanks and appreciation are expressed to our M.:P.: Sovereign Grand Commander for his co-operation, always willingly extended, and for courteous service pleasantly and willingly administered by the Hamilton Office of Supreme Council.

A warm welcome is extended to those who have entered our Scottish Rite ranks in Alberta during the past year. It is our earnest hope that in the teachings of our beloved Fraternity they may find much satisfaction and enjoy the fellowship of the Brethren.

We are anticipating continued growth and development in all Valleys in Alberta and again re-dedicate ourselves to the principles and philosophy for which Scottish Rite Freemasonry stands. Under the excellent leadership of our esteemed Sovereign Grand Commander we are confident our beloved Order will continue to flourish and develop in the service of Mankind.

“Not the Past — but to the Future,
 Shall we whose hearts are young
 Grapple ourselves to new endeavour,
 Then by the Past we'll measure
 By Truth and . . . Error, what the past taught,
 And guide this better thought
 Into the sturdy fabric of to-morrow;
 Build a new place, we trust.”

Sincerely and fraternally submitted,

HOWARD B. MACDONALD 33°,
 Deputy for Alberta.

STATISTICAL REPORT

Membership

Lodges of Perfection	1957	1956	Increase
Edmonton	852	809	43
Calgary	613	608	5
Lethbridge	211	193	18
Central Alberta (U.D.)	52	52
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	1728	1610	118

Chapters of Rose Croix:			
Mizpah	719	671	48
Delta	491	485	6
Chinook	121	112	9
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	1331	1268	63
Alberta Consistory	961	910	51

EASTER CEREMONIES

	1957	1956
Maundy Thursday:		
Mizpah Chapter	292	260
Delta Chapter	242	257
Chinook Chapter	67	79
Easter Sunday:		
Mizpah Chapter	320	318
Delta Chapter	203	196
	10 Brethren assembled in Didsbury	11 Brethren assembled in Didsbury
Chinook Chapter	69	66
	11 Brethren assembled in Medicine Hat	

REPORT OF THE DEPUTY FOR SASKATCHEWAN

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Illustrious Brethren:

Again it is my privilege to submit the following report on the activities and conditions of the Rite within this Province for the year ending June 30th, 1957.

Generally all Lodges, Chapters and the Consistory has experienced a satisfactory year, some showing a very worthy increase in interest and membership. The respective meetings have been well conducted and several show results of team work among the officers who are taking their honors and responsibilities seriously resulting in a noted improvement in the general good of the Order.

Attendance is not all that could be desired but it is appreciated this locally is a general condition as the counter attractions of these times is taking its toll on all fraternal gatherings. The officers are cognizant of the situation and making a determined effort to make the meetings interesting and instructive to the brethren.

The work conducted in the various Valleys with reverence and solemnity together with the splendid spirit developed that permeated the many gatherings reflects credit on the respective officers and casts.

In the respective Valleys joint meetings of the officers are held to discuss general interests of the Rite and methods of material assistance. This has resulted in material help to the Lodges in particular and enables planned programs to be adopted with the support of all Bodies.

The Regina Chapter accepted an invitation from Minot, North Dakota Chapter to confer the 18° in Minot at their 50th Anniversary Reunion on November 14, 1956. This presentation was greatly appreciated by the Minot brethren who proved excellent hosts to a goodly number of Canadian brethren who accompanied the Regina officers and spent two delightful days at their Reunion.

The Saskatchewan Consistory invited Minot Consistory to confer the 22° on the Regina class on October 30th at their Fall Reunion and the presentation by our visitors was greatly enjoyed by all privileged to be present.

The above exchange of visits with our esteemed neighbors of the Southern Jurisdiction was duly approved by the Sovereign Grand Commanders of the respective jurisdictions to whom we are indebted for

the opportunity to enlarge our fraternal associations and join hands across our International Border. I believe this action will be the forerunner of further fraternal visits that cannot help but result in benefit to both Valleys.

Saskatchewan Consistory has a varied and helpful program which included holding the regular March meeting in Moose Jaw preceded by a dinner and followed by the exemplification of the 31°. The result was a large increase in attendance by affording the Moose Jaw brethren the opportunity of readily attending and meeting their Consistory officers. It is proposed this year's Fall Reunion will be held in Saskatoon with a team of Moose Jaw brethren conferring the 31° and Saskatoon brethren the 30° with the Consistory officers conferring the 32°.

For the benefit of the anticipated class of brethren from the Regina area it is proposed a Winter reunion will be held in Regina. This is an innovation demanding much work on the part of the officers but the Consistory being Provincial it will increase our number of candidates and take the Consistory activities out to the scattered membership which will be appreciated by many and I consider worthy of thanks to those active members concerned.

The Regina Lodge of Perfection has had an active and successful year to date and the present officers plan to hold an emergent meeting this Fall in Estevan to confer the 4° on a number of candidates from that area prior to the regular Fall Reunion in Regina.

While it is noted from the statistical return attached the Easter attendances in all Valleys showed a material increase over 1956, this I attribute to the good weather prevailing rather than an increase in interest by the membership.

I wish to tender my thanks to H.:I.:G.:Alex McIntosh 33° of Moose Jaw and H.:I.:G.:Alex Irving 33° of Saskatoon who officially represented Supreme Council at their respective Chapters at Easter. Each submitted a detailed report on the good work done and the spirit that prevailed which was of a high order. I personally attended Regina Chapter where the exemplification was of a particularly high order, and the Easter services were held in the Shrine Mosque to provide adequate accommodation.

During the past year I had the honor to be invited to represent Supreme Council at the Grand Chapter Royal Arch Masons of Saskatchewan and the Annual Convocation of the Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan

A.F. and A.M. Both meetings were held in Regina and I was unfortunately prevented at the last minute of being able to attend the meeting of the Grand Chapter and was forced to send my apologies and regrets. With other distinguished guests I was graciously and fraternally received by the Grand Lodge.

It is with deep sadness of farewell I make brief reference to the passing to the Higher Lodge Above of 31 of our brethren. Good men were they all, highly revered as men and greatly valued in both Craft and Rite. Included in the list is one of the most beloved brethren we have known, H.I.G. John L. McKinnon of Saskatoon. A member of many years who was devoted to the work of the Rite and the Craft, a leader in his church and esteemed by all. Particulars of his passing and his active Masonic life will be found in the pages of "In Memoriam".

An occasion of special interest was the conference of the representatives of the Lodges of Perfection of the three Prairie Provinces held in the Masonic Temple, Regina, Saturday, March 16th.

Through the efforts of the respective deputies, representatives were present from all nine Lodges. The eleven degrees 4 to 14 had been allocated to respective Lodges and each representative outlined their method of presentation dealing with such matters as lodge facilities, lighting, costumes, music, makeup, extra cast and use of opening and closing ceremonies. Following the presentation there was a period of open discussion and many helpful suggestions offered. Ritual changes were suggested in some instances which in turn were passed on to the Ritual Committee of Supreme Council.

The program called for a long and busy day broken down into three sessions from 9 a.m. to 10 p.m. with only sufficient time out for lunch and dinner as the guests of the Regina Lodge of Perfection.

This first effort was well supported by every Lodge and the register showed an attendance of 63 including 27 visiting members outside of Regina Valley. Included were 6 Active members and 11 Honorary members of Supreme Council.

With the approval of our Sovereign Grand Commander Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham 33°, Deputy in Ontario and Chairman of our Ritual Committee was present and materially assisted with valuable suggestions and information gained from his years of experience. Unfortunately delayed air service prevented his arrival until late afternoon and the conference only had the benefit of his advice for the closing session.

It was generally agreed the conference was worth while and each Valley secured some helpful ideas that well tend to more impressive degrees to strengthen our teachings.

I wish to acknowledge and record my appreciation of the many friendly and fraternal courtesies extended to me by the officers and members of the several Bodies.

I am grateful to all Honorary members for their willing and helpful support on many occasions. These faithful brethren deeply interested in the work of the Rite are always willing to assist in any capacity. To S.G.I.G.Douglas Fraser 33°, I owe a special thank you for his advice and assistance that proved a tower of strength at all times.

I acknowledge with deep appreciation the generous co-operation by our Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, our Grand Secretary-General and his assistant. Further I extend thanks to the Deputies of the Provinces for their co-operation in securing approval of requests concerning conferring of degrees and other matters.

For the privilege of serving Supreme Council in the Province of Saskatchewan for the past year I extend grateful thanks and we pledge ourselves to continue to guard and cherish the welfare of our beloved Order.

Sincerely and fraternally submitted,

D. A. R. McCANNEL 33°,
Deputy for Saskatchewan.

STATISTICAL REPORT

Lodges of Perfection:	1956	1957	Difference
Regina	740	789	+49
Saskatoon	495	515	+20
Moose Jaw	354	357	+ 3
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	1589	1661	72
Chapters Rose Croix:			
Regina	587	618	+31
Saskatoon	316	323	+ 7
Moose Jaw	266	268	+ 2
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	1169	1209	40
Saskatchewan Consistory	874	899	+25

EASTER CEREMONIES - 1957

	Maundy Thursday	Easter Sunday
Regina	221	186
Indian Head	14	17
Estevan-Weyburn	11
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	235	214
Saskatoon	116	118
Tisdale	5	6
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	121	124
Moose Jaw	87	86
Swift Current	18	15
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	105	101
Grand Total Attendance —	900.	
Grand Total Increase over 1956 —	93.	

On motion, the reports of the Deputies were received and referred to the Committee on the General State of the Rite.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RETURNS

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, Peers and Brethren:

This report is for the year ending June 30th, 1957.

The returns show that there are 34 Lodges of Perfection, an increase of one during the year, that of "Central Alberta" in Red Deer. The number of Chapters of Rose Croix is 30, an increase of one, through the inauguration of the "Kent" Chapter in Chatham, Ont. There are 9 Consistories, the same as in the previous year.

Total Membership:	1957	1956	1955
Lodges of Perfection	23,991	23,217	22,441
Chapters of Rose Croix	16,587	15,919	15,232
Consistories	10,520	10,141	9,677

Increase in Membership:

Lodges of Perfection	774	776	801
Chapters of Rose Croix	668	687	587
Consistories	379	464	369

Admissions:

Lodges of Perfection	1,331	1,316	1,187
Chapters of Rose Croix	1,044	1,012	947
Consistories	706	727	569

Deaths:

Lodges of Perfection	521	470	433
Chapters of Rose Croix	377	343	317
Consistories	259	227	186

The net increase in membership in the Lodges of Perfection is 774, only two less than the figure recorded for the previous year.

Two Lodges of Perfection show decreases, one by 3 members and the other by 12. In the Chapters, one shows a reduction of 1 and Windsor Chapter a decrease of 62, accounted for, in part, by withdrawals to affiliate with the new Chapter at Chatham. Only one Consistory shows a reduction,—a decrease of three members, with an admission of only one.

While the number of losses by death increases, the percentage loss remains fairly consistent over the period of the past ten years.

In only one Body,—Nelson Chapter of Rose Croix,— no admissions were recorded during the year.

Your Committee express their thanks to the staff of the Grand Secretary-General for furnishing the data so promptly to enable the compilation of this report.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted,

J. McL. MARSHALL 33°, Chairman;
R. BARCLAY POW 33°,
A. E. FOWLES 33°.

On motion, the report was received and adopted.

PROVINCE	LOCATION	NAME	1956	Admitted	Affiliated	Restored	Died	Withdrawn	Suspended	1957	Increase	Decrease
Alberta	Calgary	Calgary	608	20	8	...	11	10	2	613	5	...
	Edmonton	Edmonton	809	62	5	2	16	9	1	852	43	...
	Lethbridge	Lethbridge	193	21	3	...	3	3	...	211	18	...
	Red Deer	Central Alberta.....	...	9	43	...	...	...	...	52	52	...
	Nelson	Kootenay	172	4	...	...	5	2	...	169	...	3
British Columbia	Vancouver	Vancouver	880	63	5	...	24	10	3	911	31	...
	Vernon	Okanagan	160	12	1	...	5	...	...	168	8	...
	Victoria	Victoria	293	17	4	...	13	2	...	299	6	...
	Brandon	Brandon	297	14	...	...	10	3	...	298	1	...
	Winnipeg	Winnipeg	1087	54	1	...	24	12	...	1106	19	...
New Brunswick	Moncton.....	Moncton.....	159	20	1	...	4	...	...	176	17	...
	Saint John	Saint John	604	3	1	...	7	7	2	592	...	12
	Halifax	Victoria	877	55	3	1	16	8	10	902	25	...
	Summerside	Albert Edward	156	11	...	...	4	2	...	161	5	...
	Barrie	Barrie	1437	54	2	1	39	2	...	1453	16	...
Nova Scotia & P.E.I.	Chatham	Chatham	281	24	1	...	6	2	...	298	17	...
	Fort William	Superior	678	55	...	...	15	...	...	718	40	...
	Guelph	Royal City	888	58	2	1	19	1	6	923	35	...
	Hamilton	Murton	3086	140	1	...	80	4	...	3143	57	...
	Kingston	Kingston	343	12	...	1	6	1	...	349	6	...
	London	London	1035	47	3	...	31	...	...	1054	19	...
	Niagara Falls	Elgin	621	31	...	...	15	...	...	637	16	...
	North Bay	North Bay	693	46	...	...	13	1	1	724	31	...
	Ottawa	Ottawa	1228	62	1	...	34	1	3	1253	25	...
	Peterborough	Peterborough	707	73	2	...	8	2	5	767	60	...
	Sault Ste. Marie	Sault Ste. Marie	220	21	...	...	3	...	...	238	18	...
	Toronto	Toronto	2287	117	1	...	53	...	2	2350	63	...
	Windsor	Windsor	898	56	...	4	11	5	6	936	38	...
	Woodstock.....	Woodstock.....	100	21	...	...	1	1	...	119	19	...
	Montreal	Hochelega	696	31	3	...	12	3	...	715	19	...
Quebec	Quebec	Quebec	135	12	...	...	3	1	...	143	8	...
	Moose Jaw	Moose Jaw	354	11	...	...	5	2	1	357	3	...
	Regina	Regina	740	66	1	2	15	5	...	789	49	...
	Saskatoon	Saskatoon	495	29	1	...	10	...	...	515	20	...
	Saskatoon	Saskatoon	23217	1331	93	12	521	99	42	23991	789	15
TOTALS			23217	1331	93	12	521	99	42	23991	789	15

CHAPTERS OF ROSE CROIX

COMMITTEE ON RETURNS

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PROVINCE	LOCATION	NAME	1936	Admitted	Affiliated	Restored	Died	Withdrawn	Suspended	1937	Increase	Decrease
Alberta.....	Calgary.....	Delta.....	485	21	2	...	9	5	2	492	7	...
	Edmonton.....	Mizpah.....	671	62	4	1	16	3	...	719	48	...
British Columbia.....	Lethbridge.....	Chinook.....	112	15	...	...	3	3	...	121	9	...
	Vancouver.....	Vancouver.....	725	40	7	...	23	7	2	740	15	...
	Vernon.....	Moray.....	104	6	1	...	3	1	...	107	3	...
	Nelson.....	Kokanee.....	59	...	...	...	...	1	...	58	...	1
Manitoba.....	Victoria.....	Victoria.....	192	13	5	...	6	1	...	203	11	...
	Brandon.....	Brandon.....	194	11	...	...	7	1	...	197	3	...
	Winnipeg.....	Bethesda.....	877	33	...	...	21	10	...	879	2	...
	Saint John.....	Harington.....	362	33	1	...	5	1	...	390	28	...
New Brunswick.....	Halifax.....	Keith.....	724	63	3	1	12	7	8	764	40	...
	Barrie.....	Spry.....	1040	56	2	1	30	1	...	1068	28	...
	Fort William.....	Nanna-Bijou.....	542	37	...	...	11	...	...	568	26	...
	Guelph.....	Guelph.....	566	36	1	1	14	1	1	588	22	...
Nova Scotia & P.E.I.	Hamilton.....	Hamilton.....	2120	88	...	...	58	2	...	2148	28	...
	Kingston.....	Rose of Sharon.....	256	19	...	...	6	...	1	268	12	...
	London.....	London.....	763	66	2	...	23	...	...	808	45	...
	North Bay.....	North Bay.....	467	54	...	...	11	1	1	508	41	...
Ontario.....	Ottawa.....	Murray.....	822	37	1	...	24	...	2	834	12	...
	Peterborough.....	Peterborough.....	440	46	1	...	7	...	1	479	39	...
	Sault Ste. Marie.....	Sault Ste. Marie.....	186	20	...	...	3	...	...	203	17	...
	Toronto.....	Toronto.....	1382	85	...	...	35	...	1	1431	49	...
Quebec.....	Windsor.....	Windsor.....	816	34	...	3	12	85	2	754	...	62
	Niagara Falls.....	Niagara.....	92	25	...	...	2	...	...	115	23	...
	Chatham.....	Kent.....	...	32	120	...	1	...	...	151	151	...
	Montreal.....	Hochelega.....	641	37	2	...	10	3	...	667	26	...
Saskatchewan.....	Quebec.....	Quebec.....	112	9	...	...	3	...	...	118	6	...
	Moose Jaw.....	Alex. Sheppard.....	266	10	...	...	5	2	1	268	2	...
	Regina.....	Regina.....	587	43	1	1	11	3	...	618	31	...
	Saskatoon.....	Saskatoon.....	316	13	6	323	7	...
TOTALS			15919	1044	153	8	377	138	22	16587	731	63

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CONSISTORIES

PROVINCE	LOCATION	NAME	1956	Admitted	Affiliated	Restored	Died	Withdrawn	Suspended	1957	Increase	Decrease
Alberta.....	Edmonton.....	Alberta.....	910	74	1	...	20	4	...	961	51	...
British Columbia.....	Vancouver.....	British Columbia.....	726	55	3	3	26	5	3	753	27	...
Manitoba.....	Winnipeg.....	Manitoba.....	809	45	...	...	25	8	...	821	12	...
New Brunswick.....	Saint John.....	New Brunswick.....	252	1	...	...	4	...	...	249	...	3
Nova Scotia & P.E.I.	Halifax.....	Nova Scotia.....	582	43	3	1	10	2	6	611	29	...
Ontario.....	Hamilton.....	Moore.....	5064	376	2	1	138	43	6	5256	192	...
	Fort William.....	North Star.....	251	19	...	...	6	...	...	264	13	...
Quebec.....	Montreal.....	Montreal.....	673	48	...	...	12	3	...	706	33	...
Saskatchewan.....	Regina.....	Saskatchewan.....	874	45	...	...	18	1	1	899	25	...
		TOTALS	10141	706	9	5	259	66	16	10520	382	3

INCREASE 379

Ill. Bro. Arthur Cross 33°, Chairman of the Committee on Foreign Relations stated that his Committee had no report to submit.

The Grand Secretary-General then made several announcements and at 3:40 p.m. Supreme Council adjourned in GENERAL SESSION to resume at 8:00 p.m.

Supreme Council then opened in

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Ill. Bro. George C. Derby 33°, nominated:

Ill. Bro. Robert Alexander Burnie Wootton 33°, of Victoria, B.C., for Active membership in this Supreme Council.

The Ill. Deputies for Ontario nominated thirty;

The Ill. Deputy for Quebec nominated two;

The Ill. Deputy for New Brunswick nominated one;

The Ill. Deputy for Nova Scotia nominated two;

The Ill. Deputy for Manitoba nominated three;

The Ill. Deputy for British Columbia nominated seven;

The Ill. Deputy for Alberta nominated five;

The Ill. Deputy for Saskatchewan nominated one;

(total 51) Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret 32° to receive the degrees of Inspector-General 33° (Honorary), at the next Annual Session of Supreme Council.

On motion, the nominations were received and referred to the Committee on Nominations.

The Executive Session adjourned at 4:00 p.m.

At 8:00 p.m. Supreme Council resumed labor in

GENERAL SESSION

The Sovereign Grand Commander assisted by the Officers of Supreme Council conferred the Thirty-third Degree upon the following twenty-nine Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret 32°:—

George Ernest Blake
Frederick Harold Blythe

Arthur Vance Chapman
 Frederick Clayton Courtice
 Charles Davidson Donald
 John Herbert Forbes
 Bruce Brown Foster
 Edwin Alexander Gardner
 Melbourne Morton Gardner
 George Alfred Grant
 James Palmer Kent
 Burnet Charles Lamble
 George Harvey Linklater
 Warren James Maxwell
 William John Angus McCormack
 John McIntosh
 John Melvin Moffatt
 John Alexander Campbell Moore
 Kenneth Roberts Nelson
 Cecil Frederick Patterson
 Rae Ronald Porteous
 Maxwell Cline Purvis
 Vivian Hewton Alfred Savage
 Peter Alexander Sinclair
 John Henry Spence
 Gordon Murray Stewart
 Stanley Clifford Sudden
 Henry Arthur Vallieres
 Andrew Embury Williamson

who were coroneted Inspectors-General 33°, Honorary Members of this Supreme Council, and duly proclaimed by the Grand Marshal.

Ill. Bro. J. Palmer Kent 33°, spoke on behalf of the class.

The Box of Fraternal Assistance was presented and, on motion, the proceeds were presented to Ill. Bro. Clifford L. Torey 33°, for the benefit of the Constituent Bodies of the Valley of Halifax.

SUPREME COUNCIL RECEPTION

On adjournment at 9:45 p.m., the brethren proceeded to the Main Dining Room, The Nova Scotian Hotel, where they were joined by the ladies of our members for a social hour. Receiving the guests were the Sovereign Grand

Commander, Ill.:Bro.:T. K. Wade 33°, Grand Commander Luther A. Smith 33°, Grand Commander George E. Bushnell 33° and Mrs. Bushnell, Grand Commander Alberto Barocio 33° and Mrs. Barocio, and Past Grand Commander N. Garcia Baptista 33° and Mrs. Baptista.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 11th

At 9:30 a.m. Supreme Council opened in

EXECUTIVE SESSION

Ill.:Bro.:James A. Simpson 33°, P.:Lieut.:Grand Commander presented the report of the Committee on Nominations.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

Illustrious Brethren:

The Committee on Nominations, to whom were referred the Nominations presented September 10th, 1957, now recommend for the favorable consideration of the Supreme Council the election of the following Inspector-General 33° (Honorary) to the rank of Sovereign Grand Inspector-General 33° (Active):—

Robert Alexander Burnie Wootton, Victoria, B.C.

and the following Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret 32°, to be Inspectors-General 33° (Honorary):—

John Hanna Morgan
 Karl Percival Warwick
 John Bentley Alexander
 Donald McGugan
 Frederick Sangster
 John Forest Stephen
 John E. Harvey
 of British Columbia
 Hector Robertson MacLean
 Reginald George Lewin

COMMITTEE ON NOMINATIONS

John Stanley Hodgson
Francis John Pyle
Roy Woodrow Austin
 of Alberta
Reginald Clifford Hodsdman
 of Saskatchewan
Robert Lewis Jex
William Allen McKnight
Alexander Campbell
 of Manitoba
Cuthbert William Andrews
Dougald Alexander McInnis
Charles Frederick Ayerst
Ross Scott
William Lauder Ferguson
Burton Malcolm McNaughton
Kenneth William MacDonald
Frank McIntosh
Walter Ralph Kinsman
George Stewart Henry
James Frederick Campbell
Alfred Edward Fulford
William Allan Armstrong
Harold Arthur Burleigh
Arthur Allan Casselman
Thomas John Donnelly
John Henry Eydt
John Kenneth Garratt
Frederick William Gregory
Wesley Irwin Haskett
Gordon Carlos Kelly
John McDonald
Daniel Regan
Robert Alexander Ross
Raymond Hamilton Smith
William Stanley Stabler
William George Strong
David Westwater Taylor
Frederic James Veale
John Bernard Williams
 of Ontario
Hugh Llewellyn Pritchard
John Taylor Whiteford
 of Quebec

Roy William Merryweather
of New Brunswick
Alexander Herman MacMillan
Reginald William Wood
of Nova Scotia and P.E.I.

Fraternally submitted,

JAMES A. SIMPSON 33°, Chairman;
THOMAS K. WADE 33°,
ARTHUR CROSS 33°,
CLARENCE MacL. PITTS 33°,
DOUGLAS FRASER 33°,
STUART H. LEES 33°.

On motion, the report was adopted and the nominations confirmed.

The roll was called by the Grand Secretary-General and Ill. Bro. Robert Alexander Burnie Wootton was declared elected to be elevated to Active Membership.

The roll was again called on the nominations of the fifty-one Sublime Princes of the Royal Secret reported by the Committee on Nominations and these were declared elected to receive the degree of Honorary Inspector-General 33° at the next Annual Meeting of Supreme Council.

MILEAGE AND PER DIEM

On motion, it was agreed that the sum to be paid for transportation and other expenses under Article 46 (a) for the 1958 Session be ten cents per mile one way, plus \$50.00 for all hotel and other expenses.

The Supreme Council then closed in Executive Session at 10:45 a.m., and opened in

GENERAL SESSION

at 10:50 a.m., when the Grand Secretary-General announced that Ill. Bro. Robert Alexander Burnie Wootton 33° had been elected to the rank of Sovereign Grand Inspector-General (Active).

**REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE ALLOCUTION
OF THE SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER**

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

Your Committee on the Allocution of the Sovereign Grand Commander having heard and carefully studied the Allocution take pleasure in reporting as follows:

We join with our Sovereign Grand Commander in expressing our appreciation in again meeting in this beautiful City of Halifax, and heartily concur in his remarks as to the friendship and hospitality extended to us in this famous City, on this the 83rd Annual Meeting of the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite for the Dominion of Canada.

We note with pleasure the list of honoured guests from Foreign Jurisdictions as referred to by our Sovereign Grand Commander and regret that it was not possible for the Sovereign Grand Commanders of the Jurisdictions of England and Wales, etc., Ireland, France, Panama, Belgium and the Philippines to be present as well as many other prominent officers of Foreign Jurisdictions who have sent their regrets.

We note with regret, the report of our Sovereign Grand Commander on the passing of so many of our beloved brethren and those of Foreign Jurisdictions and join with him in his expression of our loss.

It is indeed gratifying and encouraging to hear of the continued increase in the membership in the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite in Canada and we agree there are still many Craft Masons who should seek membership in our Scottish Rite Bodies.

We feel that our Sovereign Grand Commander is to be very highly commended on the time and effort he has expended in making his official visits across Canada and in the United States of America, and feel certain beneficial results will be obtained for many years to come.

We congratulate our Supreme Council of Canada in the honour paid to it and our Sovereign Grand Commander by the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction U.S.A. in electing our Sovereign Grand Commander an Emeritus Member of Honour.

We are pleased to note our Sovereign Grand Commander has been able to report an increase in the attendance at the Maundy Thursday and Easter Day ceremonies but we feel the attendance at these ceremonies is still far short of what it should be and express the hope that some method may be found which will enable us to show a larger attendance at these ceremonies is still far short of what it should be and express the hope that some method may be found which will enable us to show a larger attendance at the Easter Ceremonies.

We add our congratulations to those of our Sovereign Grand Commander to Ill. Bro. Harry L. Martyn 33° and our Past Sovereign Grand Commander Clarence MacLeod Pitts 33° upon their election to the offices of Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, beyond doubt another honour to members of our Supreme Council.

It is a point of interest that our Sovereign Grand Commander has appointed the same Committee to bring a revised Notice of Motion in regard to the Past Active Rank and it is our hope that this matter may be finally closed.

We agree with our Sovereign Grand Commander in his expression of appreciation to Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham 33° in his task of editing "The Supreme Councillor" and trust that this undertaking will be continued.

We are in agreement with the appointment of a Special Committee to make a study of the situation in regard to Dementia Praecox and we agree that interest in this subject is still maintained.

We join with our Sovereign Grand Commander in his praise of our Grand Treasurer-General, Ill. Bro. C. S. Hamilton 33° in his excellent Financial Report—"A hard job well done".

We heartily agree with the personal thanks of our Sovereign Grand Commander extended to the Illustrious Deputies for their untiring supervision of their various Valleys and assistance given to the Members in furthering the interests of the Ancient and Accepted Rite in Canada.

And we agree that especial mention and thanks be extended to Ill. Bro. E. B. Thompson 33° Grand Secretary-General, Ill. Bro. J. H. Cuddie 33° Asst. Grand Secretary-General and his assistant Miss Lees. The unexcelled services of our Grand Secretary-General have already been mentioned.

Lastly, we wish to extend to our Sovereign Grand Commander, the sincere thanks and good wishes for his able administration and supervision of the affairs of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite in Canada and his diplomacy and wisdom in representing us in Foreign Jurisdictions, and may he long live in health and happiness to recall his term in office as the Sovereign Grand Commander of the Scottish Rite Bodies in the Dominion of Canada.

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGE C. DERBY 33°, Chairman;
ALEX. G. STORIE 33°,
REGINALD F. WRIGHT 33°.

Ill. Bro. George C. Derby 33°, presented this report and on motion, put by Ill. Bro. Clarence MacL. Pitts 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander, it was received and adopted.

NEW BANNER

Ill. Bro. Dominick Golia 33°, Active Member of the Supreme Council of the Republic of Venezuela, having noticed that our banner was showing the ravages of time, presented to our Sovereign Grand Commander for the Council, a handsome new banner. It was accepted by Ill. Bro. T. K. Wade 33°, and Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham 33° moved that our sincere and heartfelt thanks be expressed to Ill. Bro. Golia for his thoughtful and generous gift.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE GENERAL STATE OF THE RITE

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

Your Committee on the General State of the Rite, after a careful study of the reports submitted by the nine deputies in this jurisdiction is in a position to state, with confidence, that Scottish Rite Masonry in the Dominion of Canada has continued to make satisfactory progress during the past year. In our opinion the Rite is in a very healthy condition.

From the standpoint of numerical strength the increases in membership, totalling 774 in Lodges of Perfection, 668 in Chapters of Rose Croix and 379 in Consistories, are in almost the same proportions and percentages as were reported a year ago. Full particulars of membership throughout the Dominion are contained in the statistical tables appended to this report; and in this connection it is of interest to note that while the increase in Craft Lodge membership during the year was at the rate of 1.8% Scottish Rite membership in Canada increased by 3.3% to a total of 23,991.

Much of the success of the constituent bodies throughout our wide jurisdiction is attributed to the thought and careful planning of the officers and committees of these bodies with a view to maintaining the interest of the membership and furthering the objects of the Order. The assistance of our Honorary and Active members of Supreme Council serving in the different Valleys in which they reside, is also recognized. All Deputies report large classes of candidates to receive the degrees of the Rite which are being presented in a most creditable and interesting manner. The attendance at regular meetings of Lodges, Chapters and Consistories would seem to be satisfactory.

There is but little comment made in respect to the financial position of the constituent bodies under the direction of our Deputies which leads us to believe that the situation in this respect has greatly improved.

The value of Reunions in furthering the interests of the Rite is set forth in the reports of several of the Deputies and your Committee notes with pleasure the references made to the attendance at these Reunions, and at other special Scottish Rite gatherings, of representatives from neighboring jurisdictions. Such visitations, with reciprocal attendance

from Canada at similar functions of the Northern and Southern Jurisdictions of the United States of America, must of necessity have a beneficial effect on the success of the constituent or subordinate bodies concerned, on the spirit of fellowship enjoyed by their membership, and in the field of international understanding.

Annual Church services, attended by Scottish Rite Masons and their families, are becoming an increasingly important feature of the programs planned for and carried out in our several provincial areas.

During the year our Sovereign Grand Commander was able to attend at a number of gatherings of the Rite in no less than six of the ten provinces of Canada contained in his jurisdiction. In all cases his presence and timely addresses were of inspirational value and greatly appreciated.

The Institution of Red Deer Lodge of Perfection on October 6th, 1956, with many brethren in attendance from other Valleys in Alberta, including twenty-three Honorary Inspectors-General, the formation of Kent Chapter Rose Croix at Chatham, Ontario, on January 19th, 1957, with an Institution ceremony largely attended by members from London and Windsor Chapters, the Constitution of Niagara Chapter Rose Croix at Niagara Falls on January 17th, 1957, and the amazing growth and progress of Moncton Lodge of Perfection in New Brunswick since its formation in December, 1954, and its Constitution in April, 1956, are all important matters of record. As of June 30th last Red Deer Lodge of Perfection had a membership of 52, Kent Chapter Rose Croix reported a membership of 151, Niagara Chapter Rose Croix had 115 members and Moncton Lodge of Perfection, in two and one-half years has grown from an initial enrolment of 72 to a present membership of 176. Your Committee is pleased to note that a petition for the formation of a Consistory in Calgary is to receive the attention of our Committee on Dispensations and Warrants at this session of Supreme Council.

The lack of sufficient accommodation and suitable facilities, at times, to provide for our increasing membership is a problem that continues to occupy the attention of Deputies and presiding officers of our constituent bodies.

Your Committee again expresses its pleasure in noting from the reports of so many of our Deputies the splendid spirit of harmony and co-operation existing between the Scottish Rite and Craft Masonry, as well as with other organizations of the Masonic fraternity in this jurisdiction.

One of the most interesting developments of the past year was the holding in Regina, on March 16th, 1957, of an interprovincial conference of representatives of the nine Lodges of Perfection of the three prairie provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba. This gathering was convened at the instigation of the Deputy for Saskatchewan; the Chairman of our Ritual Committee, Ill. Bro. Cunningham 33°, was, fortunately, able to be in attendance. The discussion covered the presentation of the Perfection degrees, 4th to 14th inclusive, dealing with such matters as lodge facilities, lighting, costumes, music, make-up, casting and the use of opening and closing ceremonies. Many helpful suggestions were offered and ritual changes suggested, which have been passed on to the Ritual Committee of Supreme Council. With an attendance of 63, including 6 Active and 11 Honorary members of Supreme Council, it was agreed that such a Conference was of real value to the Rite in the three provinces represented.

The attendance at the Maundy Thursday and Easter Sunday services this year was proportionately about the same as in 1956, and while this record was not too pleasing to some of our Deputies, your Committee, having in mind the growth of the Rite and the already-referred-to lack of accommodation, considers the Easter attendance, on the whole, to be reasonably satisfactory. Statistically the percentages for Maundy Thursday and Easter Sunday are 38.2 and 32.4 respectively.

Our report on the general state of the Rite would not be complete without our again referring to the excellence of leadership being given Scottish Rite in Canada by our esteemed and beloved Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, Ill. Bro. Thomas K. Wade 33°, and our noting the appreciation expressed by all Deputies to the Grand Secretary-General, Ill. Bro. Ernest B. Thompson 33°, the Assistant Grand Secretary-General Ill. Bro. John H. Cuddie 33°, and their staff, for the kindly assistance and co-operation in dealing with the many matters that have to be referred to the Secretary General's office for attention during the course of a Scottish Rite year.

Your Committee closes this report in a spirit of genuine optimism in respect to the continued success of Scottish Rite in Canada in the foreseeable future.

Fraternally submitted,

HOWARD B. MACDONALD 33°, Chairman;
C. LAURIE ELLS 33°,
CARROLL N. SIMPSON 33°.

GENERAL STATE OF THE RITE

MEMBERSHIP — 1957

Province	Craft	Lodges of Perfection	Chapters of Rose Croix	Consistories
Alberta	18049	1728	1332	961
British Columbia	24971	1547	1108	753
Manitoba	16075	1404	1076	821
New Brunswick	8952	768	390	249
Nova Scotia & P.E.I.	16206	1063	764	611
Ontario	135050	14962	9923	5520
Quebec	17918	858	785	706
Saskatchewan	17585	1661	1209	899
TOTAL	254806	23991	16587	10520

NET GAIN IN MEMBERSHIP — 1957

	Lodges of Perfection	% Inc.	Rose Croix	% Inc.	Consis- tories	% Inc.
Alberta	118	7.33	64	5.05	51	56.04
British Columbia	42	2.79	28	2.59	27	3.72
Manitoba	20	1.45	5	.47	12	1.48
New Brunswick	5	.66	28	7.73	3 (Dec.)	
Nova Scotia & P.E.I.	30	2.90	40	5.52	29	4.98
Ontario	460	3.17	431	4.54	205	3.86
Quebec	27	3.25	32	4.25	33	4.90
Saskatchewan	72	4.53	40	3.42	25	2.86
TOTAL INCREASE	774	3.33	668	4.20	382	3.77

EASTER CEREMONIES — ATTENDANCE AND PERCENTAGES

	Members	Maundy Thursday	%	Easter Sunday	%
Alberta	1132	601	45.2	613	46.1
British Columbia	1108	774	69.9	381	34.4
Manitoba	1076	557	51.8	558	51.9
New Brunswick	390	161	42.3	120	30.7
Nova Scotia & P.E.I.	764	353	46.2	278	63.4
Ontario	9923	3196	32.2	2729	27.5
Quebec	785	231	29.4	260	33.1
Saskatchewan	1209	461	38.1	439	36.3
TOTALS	16587	6334	38.2	5378	32.4

COMPARATIVE INCREASE

	1957	1956	1955	1954	1953	Average Increase
Lodges of Perfection.....	774	776	801	829	1027	841
Chapters Rose Croix	668	687	587	550	577	614
Consistories	379	464	369	442	495	430

RELATIVE PROPORTIONS OF INTER-LODGE MEMBERSHIP

	1957	1956	1955	1954	1953
Lodges of Perfection to Craft	9.4	9.3	9.2	8.9	8.8
Chapters Rose Croix to Lodges	69.1	68.6	67.9	67.7	67.5
Consistories to Rose Croix	63.4	63.7	63.5	63.6	62.9
Consistories to Lodges of Perfection.....	43.8	43.7	43.1	43.0	42.6

Ill. Bro. C. Laurie Ells 33°, presented this report and on motion, it was received and adopted.

GUESTS

Ill. Bro. Ricardo Carrasco 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Republic of the Argentine, addressed the members through Ill. Bro. N. Garcia Baptista 33°, as interpreter, bringing greetings from his Council and also from Ill. Bro. Enrique Llanso Ordonez 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of the Republic of Cuba.

Ill. Bro. L. M. Housman 33°, Grand Prior of the Supreme Council of the Republic of the Philippines, and Ill. Bro. N. Garcia Baptista 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of the Republic of Venezuela, brought warm greetings from their respective Councils.

General Session then adjourned at 11:30 a.m.

LUNCHEON

Luncheon was served in the Main Dining Room of the Hotel at 12:30 p.m., following grace which was said by Ill. Bro. Charles D. Donald 33°, three representatives from the class spoke very appropriately of the honor bestowed on them;—Ill. Bro. J. A. C. Moore from the East, Ill. Bro. G. M. Stewart from the West and Ill. Bro. J. H. Forbes from the Centre.

At 2:30 p.m., Supreme Council re-opened in

GENERAL SESSION

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON JURISPRUDENCE AND LEGISLATION

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Peers and Brethren:

In the exercise of his authority under the Statutes and Regulations, our Sovereign Grand Commander has not found it necessary to issue any rulings or make any decisions which demand the consideration and review of this Committee.

In respect to the Notice of Motion which was presented in Executive Session by Ill.^l. Bro.^l. J. R. Evans 33° on behalf of the Sovereign Grand Commander's Special Committee on Past Active Rank and referred to the Committee on Jurisprudence and Legislation in accordance with Article 107 sub-section (4), we report that as redrafted it is now in due form for submission to this Supreme Council and within its competence to enact.

All of which is respectfully and fraternally submitted,

R. C. BERKINSHAW 33°, Chairman;
DOUGLAS FRASER 33°.

Ill.^l. Bro.^l. R. C. Berkinshaw 33°, presented this report and on motion, it was received and adopted.

PAST ACTIVE RANK

Ill.^l. Bro.^l. J. R. C. Evans 33°, Chairman of the Special Committee on Past Active Rank reported on behalf of his Committee as follows:

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON PAST ACTIVE RANK

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:

Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander, Peers and Brethren:

Your Special Committee on PAST ACTIVE rank has continued its effort in keeping with the instructions given to it. Very careful consideration has been given to the subject of Past Active rank from various angles and to the procedures followed in other Scottish Rite jurisdictions.

It is felt by the members of the Committee that it would serve the best interests of the Supreme Council for the Dominion of Canada to continue to apply the designation "Past Active" to all members of Supreme Council who have progressed beyond the "Active" rank, without discrimination and that normally Active rank should be terminated at the age of seventy-five years.

This notwithstanding, however, it is deemed desirable that all who have been elected to the office of Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander should retain Active rank *ad vitam* and that, under exceptional circumstances, others in Active rank who have attained the age of seventy-five years might continue in the same.

These several points are thought to be in the best interests of Supreme Council and consequently your Special Committee on Past Active rank begs leave to withdraw all other submissions made in the Notice of Motion distributed from the Office of the Grand Secretary-General on May 22nd, 1957, and further asks that they be now discharged. If in order and approved, the Statutes and Regulations of this Supreme Council should be amended as attached Notice of Motion.

Respectfully submitted,

J. R. C. EVANS 33°, Chairman;
HOWARD B. MOORE 33°,
R. C. BERKINSHAW 33°.

On motion, this report was received and adopted.

Following which, it was moved and carried

1. That Article 12 sub-section (a) be amended by deleting the words "when so notified by the Grand Secretary-General."
2. That sub-section (b) of the said Article be repealed and the following substituted therefore:—(b) Subject to the provisions of sub-section (f) and (g) hereof, an Active Member crowned subsequent to September 10th, 1957, upon the closing of the Annual Session of Supreme Council next succeeding his attainment of the age of seventy-five years, shall cease to be an Active Member and thereupon shall become a Past Active Member.
3. That Article 12 be amended by adding thereto the following sub-sections (f) and (g):—(f) Subject to the provisions of sub-section (a) hereof, an Active Member who has been elected to the office of Most Puissant Sovereign Grand Commander shall continue an Active Member *ad vitam*.

(g) On the unanimous vote of the Active Members present in Annual Session, that number being a majority of all the members, who, if present, would be entitled to vote thereon, the application in any exceptional case of the provisions of sub-section (b) hereof may be postponed.

On motion, it was also moved

That the Committee on Rituals and Ritualistic Matter be asked to have the ritual of the Ceremony of Crowning an Active Member of Supreme Council conform in all respects to the amendment to the Statutes and Regulations adopted at this Session.

The Sovereign Grand Commander then expressed the thanks of Council to the members of this Committee for their labors in arriving at the above conclusion.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON RITUALS AND RITUALISTIC MATTER

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

During the last year further consideration has been given to the matter of a drama suitable and fitting for use at the conclusion of the Ritual portion of the 32nd Degree. Ill.^o.Bro.^o.R. V. Harris has written a Drama, based on the Historical (and legendary) history of Glastonbury Abbey and particularly dealing with the events which led to its dissolution. A cast of Consistory members in Halifax has undertaken to portray this Drama for us on Thursday morning next. It is hoped that our members will not only avail themselves of the opportunity to witness this presentation, but will be vocal in letting your committee know the reaction it engenders. There is another line of thought in regard to such a drama that is being actively explored and may result in another approach to the exemplification of the teachings of our 32nd Degree. This will continue to have our earnest consideration regardless of the reception tendered to the Glastonbury Saga.

On March 16th of this year, a history making meeting was held at Regina under the leadership of Ill.^o.Bro.^o.D. A. R. McCannel, Representative groups from each of the nine Lodges of Perfection in the prairie provinces were present with the Deputies of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba with the sanction and under the instructions of the Sovereign Grand Commander. The chairman of our committee was

also there, so that three of this Committee were on hand. A most interesting and informative programme of discussion and interchange of ideas as to the presentation of the Ineffable Degrees was carried out to the great benefit of all concerned.

There were 63 registered in attendance, of whom 27 were from Valleys outside of Regina, and the group included six Active and eleven Honorary Members of Supreme Council. The Regina Lodge of Perfection played host to the visitors at an informal luncheon in the Masonic Temple and dinner at 5.30 p.m. in The Shrine Mosque.

The programme consisted of three sessions, each being under the chairmanship of the respective Deputies of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba. Many helpful suggestions were contributed by those in attendance from the various valleys and the presence of Ill.°Bros.° Douglas Fraser 33° and Dr. W. A. Henry 33° proved most helpful.

There have been several suggestions passed on to your Ritual Committee as to possible improvement in wording of ritual or amplification of rubric which will prove most helpful when the time comes for further consideration of the Perfection Degrees.

Ill.°Bro.°McCannel deserves great credit for the conception and arranging of this meeting.

Your committee finds that all copies of the Ritual for the 32 degree are presently issued and with the application for another Consistory in Alberta it will be necessary to have additional copies printed. We will arrange for the type to be reset and extra copies ready at the earliest date possible.

With regard to music suitable for use in our degrees, your committee has quite an interesting showing of material as used in different Valleys. Directors of music wishing to make use of this "library" of suggested music may do so by requesting it from the Grand Secretary-General's office.

Fraternally submitted,

C. H. CUNNINGHAM 33°, Chairman;
J. R. C. EVANS 33°,
D. A. R. McCANNEL 33°,
R. V. HARRIS 33°.

Ill.°Bro.°C. H. Cunningham 33°, presented this report and, on motion, it was received.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISPENSATIONS AND WARRANTS

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Peers and Brethren:

The Committee has considered a request for Dispensation for a new Consistory for Alberta to be known as "Southalta Consistory" to be located at Calgary, Alberta. This has been recommended by the Deputy for Alberta, Ill. Bro. H. B. Macdonald 33°. We recommend that the request be granted.

An application for warrant from Central Alberta Lodge of Perfection (under dispensation) has been recommended by the Deputy for Alberta, Ill. Bro. H. B. Macdonald 33°. This committee has carefully considered the application and recommends that the same be granted.

An application for warrant from Kent Chapter of Rose Croix, Chatham, Ontario, now under dispensation, has been recommended by the Deputy for Ontario, Ill. Bro. G. Fred Kingsmill 33°. We concur in this application and recommend that the same be granted.

Respectfully submitted,

C. McN. STEEVES 33°, Chairman.
WILLIAM A. HENRY 33°,
J. R. RUMBALL 33°.

Ill. Bro. Clarence McN. Steeves 33°, presented the report of this Committee and, on motion, it was received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON AUDIT AND FINANCE

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Peers and Brethren:

It is most gratifying to receive the splendid reports of the Grand Secretary-General and the Grand Treasurer-General and to note the progress which is shown therein. The Grand Treasurer-General and his investment committee has been most successful in attaining these results in a year fraught with many monetary problems.

COMMITTEE ON AUDIT AND FINANCE

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The usual complete audit has been made and the certificate is appended herewith. These reports are recommended for adoption.

The budget for 1957-1958 has been supplied to all Active Members, and despite the general increase in most costs, is, we think well within bounds.

The "Triennial" financial reports from Constituent Bodies have been received, but your Committee has not yet had an opportunity of examining them in detail. A cursory inspection, however, generally shows an improvement in all Bodies, and your Committee will shortly go thoroughly into these reports, and take any action required in a helpful and co-operative spirit.

Our thanks are tendered to the Assistant Grand Secretary and to Miss Lees for the efficient operation of the office throughout the year.

Fraternally submitted,

HUGH M. DUNLOP 33°, Chairman;
REGINALD W. LOUHOOD 33°,
HOWARD B. MOORE, 33°.

AUDIT AND FINANCE COMMITTEE

BUDGET FOR 1957 - 1958

Estimated Revenue

Admissions, 33°	29 @ \$150.00.....	\$4,350.00
" Consistories	600 @ 5.00.....	3,000.00
" Chapters	900 @ 3.00.....	2,700.00
" Lodges	1200 @ 5.00.....	6,000.00
Dues, all Bodies	53798 @ .40.....	21,519.20
Bank Interest		75.00
Sundry (inc. sales of Supplies)		1,910.00
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		\$39,554.20
Investment Income		12,350.00
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Total		51,904.20

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Budget for 1957 - 1958

Estimated Expenses

Salaries	\$8,910.00
Expenses, Office and Deputies	6,880.00
Rent	800.00
Collars, Jewels and Rings	1,000.00
Printing, Proceedings, Statutes, etc.	3,900.00
Insurance	143.75
Session and Committee	8,050.00
Annuity	772.32
Donations	2,000.00

\$32,456.07

Estimated surplus\$ 7,098.13

Estimated Investment Income 12,350.00

Estimated Capital Increase\$19,448.13

AUDITOR'S REPORT

**To the Supreme Council of Sovereign Grand Inspectors-General of the
Thirty-Third and Last Degree of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish
Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada.**

Illustrious Brethren:

I have examined the books and accounts of your Grand Secretary-General and Grand Treasurer-General for the year ended 31st July, 1957 and, in my opinion, the Statement of Amounts and Sources of Revenue and Statement of Receipts and Disbursements prepared by each respectively are properly drawn up so as to show correctly the recorded Receipts and Disbursements for the year ended 31st July, 1957.

The securities set forth in the Schedule of Investments carried at par value and amounting to \$345,952.17 are held and certified to by the Canada Permanent Trust Company.

The Net Receipts of \$21,444.33 show an increase of \$3,611.79 as compared to last year and this is mainly accounted for by an increase in Receipts of \$3,374.40, plus a decrease in Disbursements of \$237.39.

Investments purchased during the year of \$61,000.00, less investments matured or sold of \$46,000.00, increase the invested funds over last year by \$15,000.00.

The total Capital is increased over last year by \$22,548.33 being the balance of \$21,444.33 from the current year's Statement of Revenue and \$1,104.00 net discount on purchases and sales of investments.

Yours fraternally,

A. W. PARISH 32°,

Chartered Accountant.

Ill. Bro. Hugh M. Dunlop 33°, presented this report, including estimates for the ensuing fiscal year and the Auditor's Report and, on motion, they were received and adopted.

On motion, Ill. Bro. A. W. Parish 32°, was re-elected Auditor for the ensuing year.

REPORT OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE OF HONORARY MEMBERS

Most Puissant Sovereign Grand
Commander and Brethren:

Honorary Inspectors-General and members of the class of candidates held an informal meeting following the Sovereign Grand Commander's Dinner on the evening of September 10th.

The main purpose of the meeting was to establish a closer personal contact with the new members of Supreme Council and this was done in a most satisfactory manner. The Candidates were introduced by Brethren from their respective Provinces or Valleys and in these introductions the high lights of their service to Masonry and to the various bodies of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite were reviewed. This was a most impressive part of the evening's program, not only because it affords the opportunity of paying tribute to the candidates, but it reminds all present of the high standards set by the Rite both in fraternal and community service.

Through the courtesy of the Nova Scotia Government Bureau of Information color films depicting the activity which centred about Halifax during World War II and dealing with the city's historic past were shown. There were many expressions of appreciation for these films and a suitable letter of thanks has been sent to the Bureau.

Respectfully submitted,

R. J. RANKIN 33°.

Chairman.

Ill. Bro. R. J. Rankin 33°, presented this report and, on motion, it was received and referred to the Committee on the General State of the Rite.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON DEMENTIA PRAECOX

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

We, your Committee appointed by the Sovereign Grand Commander subsequent to the last Annual Communication, to make a thorough study of the research work that is proceeding on the problem of Dementia Praecox or Schizophrenia that has been sponsored financially by the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, U.S.A. for over twenty years, beg to report as follows:

1. Having made a very exhaustive study of the information, the reports and results of the Research projects being carried on in the U. S. and Canada which have been made available to us from various sources are of the opinion that this is a very worthy and necessary project.

2. It is our opinion that this is a project worthy of our moral and financial support.

We therefore recommend that financial support be given as Supreme Council may hereafter direct and in accordance with the Permanent Fiscal Policy adopted by Supreme Council on September 12, 1951.

Respectfully submitted,

G. C. DERBY 33°, Chairman;
J. R. EVANS 33°,
J. R. RUMBALL 33°,
W. A. HENRY 33°.

Ill. Bro. George C. Derby 33°, presented this report and, on motion, it was received and adopted.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON LIBRARY AND ARCHIVES

To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—

Illustrious Brethren:

During the past year further progress has been made in storing our Archives. A steel cabinet has been purchased and it now contains our more valuable manuscripts and documents.

We gratefully acknowledge the following donations from Ill.'.Bro.'. C. H. Cunningham 33°, of two papers which were read before The Canadian Masonic Research Association, and published since our last Meeting of Supreme Council:—

Paper No. 22—"Early Freemasonry in Ontario" by W. Bro. James J. Talman.

No. 23—"A Hundred Years Under the Grand Lodge of Canada in Ontario (1855-1955)" by V. Wor. Bro. Roy S. Foley.

And from Ill.'.Bro.'. R. V. Harris 33°, a copy of the "History of the Scottish Rite of Freemasonry in Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island".

One of our members has returned to Supreme Council a complete set of the Proceedings of our Council since its inception in 1874. These were very welcome as the number of copies available of the earlier years was limited.

The album containing the photographs of all Active Members is now practically complete,—we are only lacking 11 photos from the total of 136.

It is with deep regret that we record the death of Ill.'.Bro.'. Charles Frederick Marshall 33°, who has been a member of the Committee since it was appointed and who contributed so much time and effort in sorting over old files and putting our archives in good order. His devoted interest will be greatly missed.

Respectfully submitted,

E. B. THOMPSON 33, Chairman;
C. H. CUNNINGHAM 33°,
F. VILA 33°,
J. H. CUDDIE 33°.

Ill.'.Bro.'. E. B. Thompson 33°, presented this report and, on motion, it was received and adopted.

**REPORT OF THE SPECIAL REPRESENTATIVE TO THE
CANADIAN MASONIC RESEARCH ASSOCIATION**

**To the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of
Freemasonry for the Dominion of Canada:—**

Illustrious Brethren:

This Canadian-wide association has continued its good work during the past year and held two well-attended meetings.

19th meeting, Winnipeg, Man., February 15th, 1957:

(a) **Early Freemasonry in Saskatchewan (1879-1956)** by M.W. Bro. Robert A. Tate, P.G.M., Grand Secretary of Saskatchewan, which has since been published by the Grand Lodge of Saskatchewan.

(b) **Freemasonry in British Columbia, 1885 to date** by R.W. Bro. Wm. G. Gamble, Grand Historian, British Columbia.

20th meeting, Hamilton, Ont., May 14th, 1957:

(a) **Sir Allan Napier MacNab**, Provincial Grand Master, Canadian West, by Rt. Ex. Bro. Wm. J. Shaw.

(b) **History of Supreme Council of the Scottish Rite in Canada** by M.W. Bro. R. V. Harris.

At the Winnipeg meeting, A. J. B. Milborne of Knowlton, Que. was re-elected President; O. G. Alyea as Treasurer and R. V. Harris as Secretary of the Association.

PUBLICATIONS OF THE ASSOCIATION DURING THE YEAR:

(a) **Erasmus James Philipps**, Founder of Freemasonry in Canada (1705-1760) by the Hon. John Doull, Vice-President of the Association.

(b) **Hon. Alexander Keith**, Ruler of the Craft in Nova Scotia for 33 years (1840-1873) by M.W. Bro. R. V. Harris.

(c) **Early Freemasonry in the Niagara Peninsula and Vicinity**, by W. Bro. Dr. James J. Talman, Librarian, University of Western Ontario, read May 3rd, 1954.

(d) **A Hundred Years under the Grand Lodge of Canada in Ontario, (1855-1955)** by V.W. Bro. Roy S. Foley.

(e) **Early Freemasonry in Saskatchewan (1879-1956)** by M.W. Bro. Robert A. Tate.

(f) **The History of Geoffrey de St. Aldemar Preceptory, No. 2** (1855-1955) by R. Em. Kt. Charles E. Wells, Grand Chancellor, read November 16th, 1954,—in course of printing.

THE CANADIAN MASONIC RESEARCH ASSOCIATION has now held twenty meetings since its organization in May, 1949, sponsored by the Grand Lodges, several of the Grand Chapters, and by the Supreme Council A. & A. Scottish Rite, and by the Sovereign Great Priory, Knights Templar.

Thirty-nine papers on Canadian Masonic history in nearly all of its branches have been presented before meetings of the Association held in six of the Provinces.

The cost of membership is still \$5.00 a year, which entitles the member to copies of all papers published during the year.

Last year an amount of \$200.00 was included in the 1956-1957 Budget for the Research Association. This was intended to assist in the work of the Association in general and in the printing of the papers on the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite and the Supreme Council in Canada. As it was not immediately required by the Association the cheque was not issued. However, the time has come when this contribution will be most helpful and I recommend that payment be now made. Also that our Association representation be maintained.

Respectfully submitted,

C. H. CUNNINGHAM 33°,
Representative.

Ill.:Bro.:C. H. Cunningham 33°, presented this report and, on motion, the report was received. On motion, Ill.:Bro.: Cunningham was continued as our representative on The Canadian Masonic Research Association.

COMMITTEE ON PLACES OF MEETING

Following report of the Special Committee on Places of Meeting, on motion, pursuant to Article 5, it was decided that the next Annual Session should be held in the City of Windsor, Ontario, September 8th - 11th, 1958.

Ill.:Bro.:G. Fred Kingsmill 33°, also reported places of future Meetings as follows:

1959.....	Saskatoon
1960.....	Fort William

1961.....Saint John
 1962.....London
 1963.....Edmonton

The Grand Secretary-General reported the registration of 200 men and 159 ladies.

Ill. Bro. George E. Bushnell 33°, Sovereign Grand Commander of the Supreme Council for the Northern Masonic Jurisdiction, addressed the Council and offered to entertain at Detroit during our Annual Session next year. He also gave an up-to-date report on the research being done on Schizophrenia.

GENERAL SESSION then adjourned at 3:40 p.m.

The brethren of the Scottish Rite Bodies in the Valley of Halifax tendered a banquet in honor of the Members of the Supreme Council, distinguished guests and ladies in the Gymnasium of H.M.C.S. Stadacona at 6:30 p.m. There was an unusually large attendance of local members to welcome the visitors.

The Blessing was pronounced by Ill. Bro. Archdeacon W. E. Ryder 33°. Following brief remarks by the Chairman, Ill. Bro. C. Laurie Ells 33°, the distinguished guests seated at the head table were introduced, after which the following program was presented:

TOAST LIST

THE QUEEN

THE PRESIDENTS OF THE FOLLOWING REPUBLICS:

Argentine, Dominican, Mexico, The Philippines,
 United States of America and Venezuela

THE SUPREME COUNCIL

OUR SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER

Proposed by

ILL. BRO. HARVEY R. DOANE 32°
 Thrice Puissant Grand Master

Response by

ILL. BRO. THOMAS K. WADE 33°
 M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander,
 A. & A.S.R. for the Dominion of Canada

OUR LADIES

Proposed by

ILL.:BRO.:D. F. HORTON 32°
Most Wise Sovereign

Response by

MRS. C. LAURIE ELLS

OUR GUESTS

Proposed by

ILL.:BRO.:ALBERT E. FOWLES 33°
General Chairman—Host Valley

Response by

ILL.:BRO.:GEORGE E. BUSHNELL 33°
Sovereign Grand Commander
Northern Masonic Jurisdiction of the U.S.A.

ILL.:BRO.:THOMAS C. LAW 33°
First Grand Equerry
Southern Jurisdiction of the U.S.A.

This happy evening came to a close with the singing of Auld Lang Syne.

THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 12th

At 9:00 a.m., Supreme Council opened at the Masonic Temple, Barrington Street, in

EXECUTIVE SESSION

CROWNING OF ACTIVE MEMBER

Ill.:Bro.:Robert Alexander Burnie Wootton was then crowned Sovereign Grand Inspector-General, Active Member of this Council and warmly welcomed by those present.

Supreme Council then closed in Executive Session at 9:30 a.m. and opened in

GENERAL SESSION

The Sovereign Grand Commander announced that Ill.:Bro.:R. A. B. Wootton had been crowned an Active Member

at the Executive Session just closed. Bro. Wootton thanked all for the high honor conferred on him.

With Ill. Bro. N. Garcia Baptista 33°, acting as interpreter, Ill. Bro. Dr. Joaquin S. Lugo 33°, Lieut. Grand Commander of the Supreme Council of the Dominican Republic expressed appreciation on behalf of himself and his brother Ill. Bro. Francisco E. Lugo 33°, the Grand Secretary-General of his Supreme Council, for all the courtesies extended to them during their visit.

The Sovereign Grand Commander announced that Ill. Bro. J. H. Winfield 33°, Past Sovereign Grand Commander (Hon.), was celebrating his birthday the following day and all present congratulated him.

VOTE OF THANKS

During the past four or five days we have been visitors in this grand old City of Halifax. 200 Members of the Supreme Council of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, accompanied by 159 of their ladies made a pilgrimage to this historical and most interesting community to be present at the 83rd Annual Session of the Supreme Council of the Rite.

They came by car, by plane, by boat and by train. 182 of these enthusiastic and happy persons came by Special train from Toronto and Montreal to Saint John, where they tarried over night and were entertained royally by the brethren of that place. On Sunday morning they crossed the Bay of Fundy, in the rain, to Digby, then on to Kentville, where the journey by bus was pleasantly interrupted for a Banquet at the Cornwallis Inn, then on to Halifax.

On Monday, the sun greeted our arising and through the day light rain interspersed the day to be followed by a magnificent rainbow, which foretold the golden sunshine and the beautiful weather which was to be our lot during our stay.

Halifax,—a word well known to all of us from our history books and a magical word known to us in peace and in war, and associated with the early voyages of Champlain, of sailors and soldiers, of the early arrival of Religion and the Westward progress of enlightenment and knowledge; a great dramatic role played in the creating of massed convoys and ships of war, the despatching of men and material in the great and ancient Crusade for the liberty of man.

As we drove around the city and over the great bridge and sailed on the Harbour and the Northwest Arm, we viewed the beautiful parks

and buildings and Naval craft and Air craft overhead, and the soldier, the airman, and the sailor moving about in the streets mingled with the citizenry and saw the famous Old Town Clock, we said to ourselves,—this is a beautiful and pleasant city in the time of blessed peace and we are glad to be here.

Our welcome to this interesting place was made so pleasant by our brethren of the Rite, who so thoughtfully and lovingly looked after all our desires and pleasure in the planned drives, the luncheons and banquets and other entertainment. The two hotels were taken over by us and we know that all of this was made possible by the planning and the work of a great committee of devoted men and women over a considerable period of time.

The 83rd Annual Meeting of the A. & A.S.R. Supreme Council at Halifax in September, 1957, will linger long in the hearts and memories of us all and our thanks and gratitude are tendered to the Members of the Scottish Rite in the City of Halifax and the Province of Nova Scotia. You have truly exemplified the truism that hospitality is a true Masonic virtue.

The Lieut.:Grand Commander, Ill.:Bro.:James A. Simpson 33° presented the above vote of thanks, which after being carried unanimously, the Sovereign Grand Commander asked Ill.:Bro.:Albert E. Fowles 33° to pass on to the members of his various committees.

There being no further business, the Sovereign Grand Commander invited all present to join with him in forming the Chain of Union after which Supreme Council was closed in harmony at 10:30 a.m.



Robert Wode



Sovereign Grand Commander.



E. P. Thompson



Grand Secretary-General, H.:E.:.

STANDING COMMITTEES

Appointed by the Sovereign Grand Commander
following the Annual Session.

(First named to be Chairman of Committee)

On Jurisprudence and Legislation:—

Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw
Ill. Bro. J. R. Rumball
Ill. Bro. Douglas Fraser

On Audit and Finance:—

Ill. Bro. Hugh M. Dunlop
Ill. Bro. Reginald W. Louthood
Ill. Bro. Howard B. Moore

On Nominations:—

Ill. Bro. James A. Simpson
Ill. Bro. Thomas K. Wade
Ill. Bro. Arthur Cross
Ill. Bro. Clarence MacL. Pitts
Ill. Bro. Douglas Fraser
Ill. Bro. Stuart H. Lees

On Foreign Relations:—

Ill. Bro. Arthur Cross
Ill. Bro. Frank A. Copus
Ill. Bro. Ernest B. Thompson

On The General State of the Rite:—

Ill. Bro. Howard B. Macdonald
Ill. Bro. C. Laurie Ells
Ill. Bro. Carroll N. Simpson

On Rituals and Ritualistic Matter:—

Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham
Ill. Bro. J. R. C. Evans
Ill. Bro. D. A. Roy McCannel
Ill. Bro. Reginald V. Harris

On Returns:—

Ill. Bro. James McL. Marshall
Ill. Bro. R. Barclay Pow
Ill. Bro. A. E. Fowles

On Dispensations and Warrants:—

Ill. Bro. Clarence McN. Steeves
Ill. Bro. Wm. A. Henry
Ill. Bro. R. A. B. Wootton

On Allocution of the M. P. Sovereign Grand Commander:—

Ill. Bro. George C. Derby
Ill. Bro. Alex. G. Storie
Ill. Bro. Reginald F. Wright

**SPECIAL COMMITTEES
OF SUPREME COUNCIL****Library and Archives:—**

Ill. Bro. Ernest B. Thompson
Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham
Ill. Bro. J. H. Cuddie
Ill. Bro. Francis Vila
Ill. Bro. H. B. Jackson
Ill. Bro. Reginald V. Harris
Ill. Bro. L. F. Riggs

On Places of Meeting:—

Ill. Bro. G. Fred Kingsmill
and all Deputies.

SOVEREIGN GRAND COMMANDER'S COMMITTEE**On Honorary Membership:—**

Ill. Bro. J. R. Rumball
Ill. Bro. Douglas Fraser
Ill. Bro. Arthur Cross
Ill. Bro. R. C. Berkinshaw

Representative to The Canadian Masonic Research Association:

Ill. Bro. C. H. Cunningham.



*We cannot think of them as dead
Who walk with us no more;
Along the path of life we tread
They have but gone before.*

Alexander Roland Smith, 33°
George Melbourne Brock, 33°
Albert John Smith, 33°
Ernest Tailby, 33°
Edward Albert Olver, 33°
David Bertram Nugent, 33°
Howard Seymour Hamilton, 33°
William Henry Thomas Keirle, 33°
Alvin Lewis Bennett, 33°
Eric Wellesley Boak, 33°
George Frederick Ellis, 33°
Walter Russell Bradford, 33°
Elmer Julian Hudson, 33°
George DeKleinhans, 33°
John Lachlan McKinnon, 33°
Charles Frederick Marshall, 33°
Clarence A. Gardiner Conley, 33°
James Hamilton Gibson, 33°
Charles Hammond Martin, 33°

Inspectors-General 33° (Honorary)
of the
Supreme Council of Canada

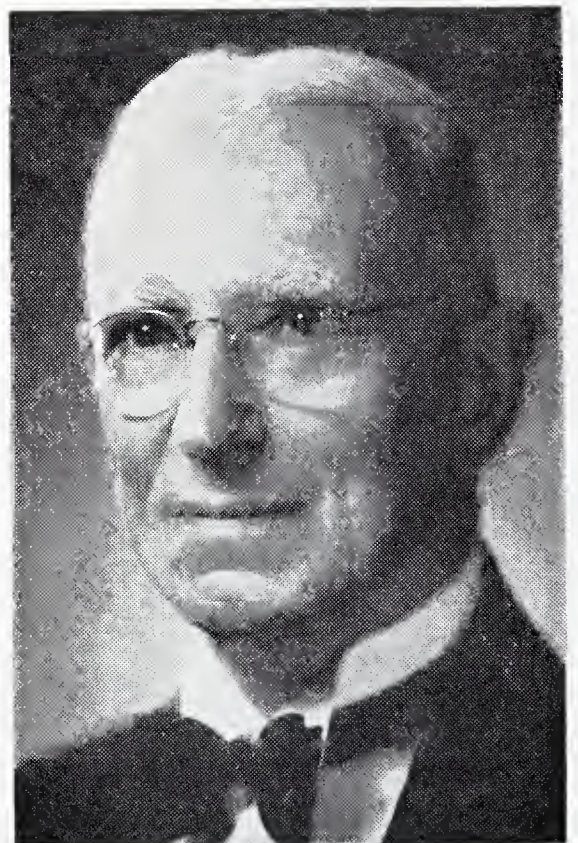
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ILL. ° BRO. ° G. MEL. BROCK, 33°



ILL. ° BRO. ° ALBERT JOHN SMITH, 33°



ILL. ° BRO. ° ERNEST TAILBY, 33°

ILL. . BRO. . ALEXANDER ROLAND SMITH, 33°

After being in very indifferent health for several months, Illustrious Brother A. R. Smith 33° passed away in Vernon Hospital on August 16th, 1956.

Ill. . Bro. . Smith was born in Stornoway, Scotland, on July 15th, 1876, being the fifth of eleven children. He came to Canada in 1906 and settled for a short period in Winnipeg, later moving West to Tete Jaune Cache where he was employed in railroad construction work, and while so employed he took the first raft load of supplies that ever moved through the Skeena Rapids.

In 1915 he proceeded overseas with the 15th Canadian Battalion, later transferring to the Railroad Corps. While serving in France he was wounded three times.

Returning from overseas in 1919 he settled in Vernon, B.C., and was engaged in the construction of the Canadian National Railway branch line from Kamloops to Kelowna with the J. W. Stewart Construction Company, with which firm he later spent the year of 1924 on the Gold Coast of Africa installing the harbour works at Takoradi.

Returning from the Gold Coast he again located in Vernon where he entered on a contracting career and was associated with the construction of several major projects.

Ill. . Bro. . Smith always took an active interest in public affairs and served for a period as Councillor in the City of Vernon.

Being an outdoor man all his life, he was interested in many sports, especially hockey and was also an ardent sports fisherman.

In 1920 he was married to Miss Rosalie Maitland by whom he is survived.

In matters religious, Ill. . Bro. . Smith was a member of the Presbyterian Church, with which he took an active part.

Ill. . Bro. . Smith first saw the light of Freemasonry in Lodge Fortrose No. 108, Stornoway, Scotland, on December 2nd, 1904, being raised to the M. M. degree on February 10th, 1905, and received the Mark Mason Degree on April 6th, 1905.

Ill. Bro. Smith affiliated with the Okanagan Chapter in Vernon on November 3rd, 1921, thereafter passing through the various chairs in that Chapter.

On January 2nd, 1929, he received the 4° in the A. & A.S.R. On December 1st, 1934, he received the 32°, and subsequently in recognition of his outstanding services in the Craft, was made an Honorary Member of our Supreme Council on October 7th, 1941.

Ill. Bro. Smith was the first M. W. S. of Moray Chapter of Rose Croix in Vernon, in which body he was an outstanding Ritualist, Counsellor and Guide.

As a Freemason and a citizen he commanded the respect and admiration of all who knew him and his passing was regretted by all.

His funeral service was conducted from the Masonic Temple, Vernon, under the auspices of Miriam Lodge No. 20, with Sov. Pr. S. A. Fleming 18° presiding.

The memory of Ill. Bro. Smith will always remain green with those who were privileged to know him and the sincere sympathy of all is tendered to his wife and sister whom he left behind.

G.C.D.

ILL. BRO. GEORGE MELBOURNE BROCK, 33°

George Melbourne Brock was a rare blend of human qualities, at once loveable and mercurial, a perfectionist who retained a full measure of sympathy and understanding, loyal to the heart's core to every purpose he championed and to whom the only nearly unforgivable sin was letting the team down, a school master dispensing and propagating English of rhythm and virility, a star athlete and sometime representative of Canada at the Olympiad, an astute coach whose teams played fairly with a will-to-win, a soldier, a devoted husband and father, a friend to men and boys, loved by both for his virtues (which were many) and for his faults (which really did not matter).

At the University of Toronto, Mel Brock graduated with honors in Arts while establishing the incredible athletic record of winning his first team colors in six different sports (track, rugby, soccer, hockey, basketball and lacrosse). He obtained his Masters degree in English at Chicago, lectured for one year before and one year after his War service at the University of Western Ontario where he played an essential part in the founding of WOSSA collegiate sports and then moved to Ridley College, St. Catharines.

Mel Brock's greatest accomplishments were at Ridley College where he enjoyed thirty years as English Master, coached basketball and rugby teams, and served as purchasing agent. Here all his qualities were focussed, transmitted and transmuted into the lives of future generations, his highest hope being to kindle an insatiable yearning for the ultimate in attainment. "Ah, but a man's reach should exceed his grasp, or what's a heaven for?"

As in the rest of his life, much of Bro.'s Brock's Masonic career was unique. He was initiated, passed and raised on October 31st, 1917, in Harmony Lodge No. 438, Toronto, by special dispensation of the Grand Master on the last night of a leave from overseas. He received his 14° in 1920 and 18° in 1921 in the London Scottish Rite bodies and his 32° in 1926 in Moore Sovereign Consistory. He affiliated with Elgin Lodge of Perfection, Niagara Falls, in 1923 just after its inception, and was T.P.G.M. in 1927-8. He was a charter member of Niagara Chapter of Rose Croix in 1955. Bro.'s Brock was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General on October 4th, 1938. In each of the principal degrees of the Rite from the 4th to the 33rd he acted as representative candidate. In degree work he found scope for his well-spoken English, for his flair for the dramatic, and for teamwork. His ritualistic work was vital, precise and sincere. It will not soon be forgotten.

Mel Brock was most fortunate in his home. He found in his wife, Gladys Ansell, an unfailing helpmate and counterbalance. There were always visitors at their home because it was pleasant there. Their only son, Mel Jr., just 18, went down with his ship serving in the Royal Canadian Navy just before D-day. Only their closest friends knew how deep was the loss. It ushered in a break in Bro.'s Brock's health. He later survived a series of major operations and heart attacks that would have taken a man of less vitality long before.

A memorial service was held under the auspices of Perfection Lodge No. 616 A.F. & A.M.

The funeral service was from Ridley College Chapel as the Headmaster, Dr. Hamilton, his closest personal friend, knew he would have wished. We heard brief words of comfort and hope from the Gospels, a school hymn praising all manly virtues, a prayer of committal and then the Nunc Dimittis sung in procession as the boys, representatives of hundreds whom, over the years, he had known and taught and loved, filed out before him.

The active bearers were six boys from the School. The honorary bearers were Dr. Hamilton of Ridley, the presiding officers of his Craft

and Scottish Rite lodges, and eight active and honorary members of Supreme Council.

In "The Prophet", Kahil Gibran asks the question "And what is it to work with love?" and answers "It is to weave the cloth with threads drawn from your heart, even as if your beloved were to wear that cloth.

"It is to build a house with affection, even as if your beloved were to dwell in that house.

"It is to sow seeds with tenderness and reap the harvest with joy.

"It is to charge all things you fashion with a breath of your own spirit."

Mel Brock worked with love all his life.

C.A.S.

ILL. . BRO. . ALBERT JOHN SMITH, 33°

On October 11th, 1956, the Masons of London and district were saddened by the loss of one of the best loved members of the Craft. Ill. . Bro. . Albert John Smith, lovingly known to all who knew him as "Abbie" entered the hospital for a "check-up" and two days later passed on to the Grand Lodge above.

Ill. . Bro. . Smith was born at Gorrie, Ontario, on May 19th, 1877.

As a young lad he came to London and entered the employ of the London Printing and Lithography Company with which firm he remained until retirement. He first served in the print shop, then entered the office where he worked in the accounting department. His liking for his fellows and his ability to win the regard and affection of others led to his appointment to the sales staff. For many years he continued to represent his Company throughout Western Ontario, during which time he gained a host of friends for himself and his firm.

In his youth he was active in sports, particularly baseball and bowling. He was one of the early members of the St. John's Athletic Club,—a group of young lads gathered together by the late A. B. Cox to promote clean sport. Some of these boys went on to play for the old London Tecumseh Baseball Club, a favorite recruiting ground for the major

leagues. One of his team mates, the famed Mooney Gibson, went to the Pittsburg Pirates and it was only because he was less robust, that Ill. Bro. Smith did not go at that time. When he could no longer compete in league baseball, our brother turned to bowling. For many years he was an active bowler, playing in several local leagues.

On September 5th, 1914, he married Kathleen Inez Rutherford of Stratford, who with their son Robert, survives. Ill. Brother Smith was extremely proud of his son who distinguished himself with the R.A.F. until he was shot down and taken prisoner by the Germans.

To these we extend our heartfelt sympathy in their loss of a loving father and a devoted husband.

Ill. Bro. Smith was always interested in his church. For eighteen years he sang in the choir of Cronyn Memorial Anglican Church. Soon after his marriage the choir leader under whom he served transferred to King St. Presbyterian (later King St. United) Church, the church to which his wife had belonged and Ill. Brother Smith transferred his allegiance to that church. There he sang in the choir until a few years ago. He was Treasurer of King St. Church for many years.

In 1903, Ill. Brother Smith became a Mason. In that year he was Initiated, Passed and Raised in St. John's Lodge No. 209a, London. The following year on April 29th, he became a Royal Arch Mason in St. John's Chapter No. 3, London. He was made a Knight Templar on January 26th, 1906.

Ill. Brother Smith received the 14th Degree in London Lodge of Perfection on November 10th, 1913; the 18th Degree in London Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix on February 19th, 1914, and the 32nd Degree in Moore Sovereign Consistory, Hamilton, on May 5th, 1921. He was received as a member of the Royal Order of Scotland at Hamilton on April 9th, 1927. On October 1st, 1946, he was Coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General 33° of the Supreme Council, A. & A. Scottish Rite, at Quebec.

Ill. Bro. Smith gave unstintingly of his time and effort to every branch of Masonry to which he belonged. He was Worshipful Master of St. John's Lodge No. 209a, London, in 1916; Potentate of Mocha Temple Shrine 1925; Thrice Puissant Grand Master of London Lodge of Perfection in 1926 and Most Wise Sovereign of London Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix in 1920. In 1933 he was honored by being appointed a Grand Junior Deacon.

While serving faithfully in many branches of Masonry, it was in the Scottish Rite Bodies in the Valley of London that Ill. Bro. Smith rendered his most devoted service. He had speaking parts in some degrees but as Chairman of the Property Committee he contributed greatly to the presentation of all degrees. Working diligently and efficiently in his unassuming manner, he relieved the Director in each degree of any worry as to the readiness of required properties. He always sensed the need and before the Director asked, the necessary articles were in position,—curtains and stage furniture re-arranged, and all the mechanics necessary to the proper presentation of the degree attended to. He will long be remembered in the Valley of London, as one who, seeking no glory or acclaim, gave unstintingly and tirelessly of his time and effort, to assure the smooth working of the degrees.

At his funeral service held in the Geo. Logan & Sons funeral chapel, London, brethren from far and near were in attendance to pay their last respects to a beloved brother. His body was taken to Stratford and interred in Avondale Cemetery.

“Faithfully faithful to every trust,
Honestly honest in every deed,
Righteously righteous and justly just,
That was the whole of this good man’s creed.”

G.A.W.

ILL. BRO. ERNEST TAILBY, 33°

On Sunday, November 11th, 1956, one of Kitchener’s most highly esteemed citizens passed away. Ill. Bro. Tailby was born at Wigston Magna, County of Leicestershire, England, on May 25th, 1878. His was an exceptional ability in many fields, and he sought for knowledge in special courses outside the ordinary school training he received in the Church, School, Business College, Collegiate and Vocational Schools in England, enrolling in Business and Accounting with LaSalle Extension University in Chicago, and later his great interest and proficiency in music led him to a licentiate degree from The London College of Music, England, in 1906. Having become a Law Clerk in the County Court, Leicester, he continued his studies until 1911 when he came to Canada to farm at Batteaux, Ontario, and after five years there, moved to Kitchener.

His business and professional career in the city of his adoption was a noteworthy one. He became Managing Director of Doon Twines Ltd.

in 1918 and left to become an independent Accountant and became one of the best known C.P.A.'s in Central Ontario.

He was a Member of the of the Certified Public Accountants' Association of Ontario from 1926 and served as its President in 1941. He also served as Chairman of the Canadian Society of Cost Accountants—Kitchener Branch.

As a public spirited citizen his interests were wide and varied. He was Treasurer of the Kitchener-Waterloo Hospital Commission, 1930-35, and Chairman 1936-37. For several years he was President of the K.-W. Philharmonic Choir and Treasurer of the Kitchener-Waterloo Symphony Orchestra Association. He was a member of the Kitchener Chamber of Commerce, the Kitchener Rotary Club and the Westmount Golf and Country Club. As an Anglican he attended the Church of St. John the Evangelist in Kitchener, and for several years was a warden.

His Masonic career was indeed noteworthy. Initiated, passed and raised in Preston Lodge No. 297 in 1914 his immediate interest was increased and deepened as the years passed. He became Worshipful Master in 1921, was appointed Grand Standard Bearer in 1927 and was elected District Deputy Grand Master in 1937. After affiliating with Twin City Lodge No. 509, in 1916, he filled the office of Organist in Preston Lodge for 35 years and in Twin City for 33 years and rarely missed a meeting in all that time.

He received his Scottish Rite degrees in Royal City Lodge of Perfection, Guelph Chapter of Rose Croix and Moore Sovereign Consistory from September 1st, 1917, to Sept. 9th, 1921. On September 15th, 1953, our brother was coroneted Honorary Inspector-General 33° at Montreal, P.Q.

He was an officer of Conestoga Conclave of the Red Cross of Constantine.

His life was full to the brim in the service of his church, his city and his Masonry, but he always maintained exacting oversight of his large business connections. In spite of his many duties in all these fields of endeavor he found time for relaxation in his garden among his roses and flowers. As an extensive traveller he became expert with the color camera and delighted to show his pictures to friends and fellow club members.

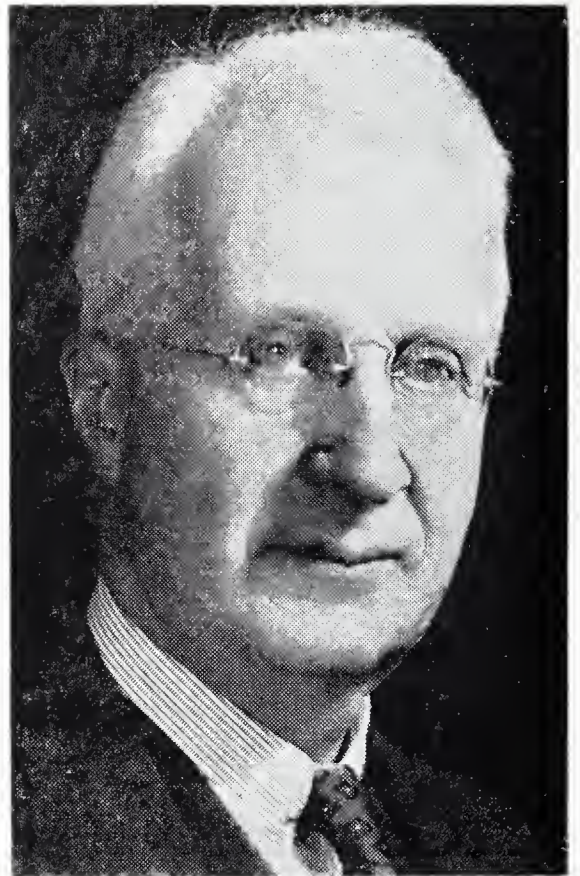
He was married in 1903 to Adah Allsop, who remains to mourn his loss, with three children, Dorothy Mary, Margery and Ralph, all of whom are graduates of the University of Western Ontario.

Ever ready to lend his help in every good cause, he was respected, esteemed and honored by his brethren who gathered in large numbers at the funeral home on Monday evening, Nov. 12th, when the Masonic funeral service was conducted by Twin City Lodge. The public service was the following afternoon in the Church of St. John the Evangelist. It was very largely attended and most of the members of our Supreme Council in the Kitchener-Guelph Area were present to bid farewell to our brother.

G. DeK.



ILL.° BRO.° EDWARD A. OLVER, 33°



ILL.° BRO.° DAVID B. NUGENT, 33°



ILL.° BRO.° H. SEYMOUR HAMILTON, 33°



ILL.° BRO.° WILLIAM H. T. KEIRLE, 33°

ILL. . BRO. . EDWARD ALBERT OLVER 33°

On Sunday, November 25th, 1956, Ill. . Bro. . Edward A. Olver 33° passed from a very active and useful life to a well earned rest in the land beyond the horizon. He was born in the Village of Ashburn, Ontario, on October 9th, 1870; attended public school there; and afterwards at Collegiate Institutes in Hamilton and Whitby.

At the age of sixteen Bro. . Olver began work with the Queen City Oil Co. of Ottawa, which was later absorbed by the Imperial Oil Company. His promotion was rapid, and in 1923 he was appointed Manager of the Company's Toronto office, holding this position until 1933, when he was retired in accordance with the Company's plan.

Bro. . Olver was active in military and Masonic circles where his zeal and devotion to duty brought him many honors. He was a member of Calvin Presbyterian Church.

His long and distinguished Masonic career may be summarized as follows:—

In 1896 initiated into Builders' Lodge No. 177, Ottawa; Worshipful Master in 1909.

In 1919 Charter Member of Defenders' Lodge with rank of I.P.M.

In 1899 was admitted into Ottawa Lodge of Perfection and was T. . P. . G. . M. . in 1906.

In 1900 was admitted into Murray Chapter of Rose Croix and was M. . W. . S. . in 1905.

In 1901 was received into Moore Sovereign Consistory.

In 1920 was Coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General.

He was a member of Carleton and Ottawa Chapters, and of Karnak Temple, Montreal.

In 1916 when his battalion was stationed in Bermuda, he was admitted to Bermuda Priory and Preceptory.

In 1956 he was presented with the 60 year medal by Grand Lodge.

In military circles Brother Olver was in 1902 gazetted a 2nd Lieutenant in the 43rd Duke of Cornwall's Own Rifles at Ottawa; was promoted to Captain, and Major; on the outbreak of the first World War in 1914 he, with his fellow officers, offered their services and on the organization of the 38th Ottawa Bn. C.E.F., was given a Commission, and served with them in Canada, Bermuda and France; was twice mentioned in Despatches and made a Companion of the Distinguished Service Order.

In the reorganization of the Canadian Militia after the first War, the 38th Bn. was disbanded, and authority granted for the formation of the Cameron Highlanders. Major Olver assisted in recruiting this unit up to peace time strength and in 1921 was given command with the rank of Lt.-Colonel. He retired in 1923, retaining the rank. In 1953 he was gazetted Honorary Colonel of the Cameron Highlanders.

After his retirement from business, Bro. Olver devoted his energies to caring for the needs of War Veterans, and in this field his work was unexcelled. He was active in the Canadian Legion War Services, when in 1940 over a million dollars was collected; he was a Past President of the Business Men's Branch of the Legion (now known as Fort York Branch). He was President of the Poppy Fund of Toronto Inc. since 1945. He was a Trustee of Last Post Funds; Director of Citizens' Repatriation League of Toronto; and President of Toronto Veterans' Farms Inc.

His club affiliations included the Military Institute, Royal Canadian Yacht Club, Royal Canadian Institute, Carleton Club, Rideau Club, Laurentian Club and the Maganassippi Fish and Game Club. He was an ardent fisherman and entertained Field Marshal The Right Honorable The Earl Alexander of Tunis, K.G., Governor-General of Canada on several occasions at the Maganassippi Club on the Ottawa River.

Bro. Olver married Miss Inez W. Chapman of Ottawa in 1903, and there is one son, Albert S. Olver, B.A.Sc.; one sister, Alice; and three grandchildren; all of whom survive him, and to whom our sympathy is extended.

T.K.W.

ILL. BRO. DAVID BERTRAM NUGENT, 33°

It is with deep sorrow that we record the sudden passing of a dear friend and brother in the person of David Bertram Nugent 33°.

While attending a meeting of the Ottawa Lodge of Perfection in November, 1955, he suffered a stroke, from which he recovered sufficiently to enable him to take a daily walk and it was hoped that he would soon be able to resume his normal activities, but, on January 17th, 1957, he was again stricken and passed away peacefully on the following day.

Bro. Nugent was born on December 28th, 1881, at Millbrook, County of Durham, Ontario. He received his early education in the public school at Millbrook and the high school at Port Hope. He completed his studies at the University of Toronto where he graduated with the degree of B.A. in 1906.

After graduation, he spent a year as Assistant in the Physics Department of the University of Toronto, and received the degree of M.A. with honors in Mathematics and Physics in 1907.

In 1907, he entered the Dominion Civil Service in Ottawa as a member of the Position Astronomy and Time Service Division of the Dominion Observatory, and was instrumental in installing and putting into service telescopes and clocks used in this phase of astronomical work. His observations, conducted at the Observatory, played an important role in determining the latitude and longitude of many places in Canada and furnished data for the first star catalogue issued in Ottawa. He was appointed Chief of the Canadian Time Service Division in 1938 and continued in that Office until his retirement in 1945.

On coming to Ottawa, he became a member of Dominion United Church, where for many years he was active in Sunday School work and served on various Church Boards. When he moved his residence to the West End of Ottawa, he assisted in organizing, and became a Charter Member of Kingsway United Church, where he continued to worship until his death.

His Masonic Career was a distinguished one. Initiated, Passed and Raised in Civil Service Lodge No. 148, Ottawa, in 1914, he was Worshipful Master in 1924, and for a number of years, filled the Office of Chaplain.

In 1951, he was appointed Grand Organist of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

He also served as Vice-President and on the Executive Committee of the Ottawa District Past Masters' Association.

In Scottish Rite Freemasonry, he received the 14° on March 7th, 1923, in Ottawa Lodge of Perfection; 18° on March 10th, 1927, in Murray Chapter of Rose Croix, Ottawa, 32° on May 8th, 1931, in Moore Sovereign Consistory, Hamilton; Coroneted Honorary Inspector-General 33° on October 7th, 1941, in Regina.

In 1934, he was T. P. G. M. of Ottawa Lodge of Perfection and for many years served as a member of the Scottish Rite Reunion, and Masonic Hall Committees in the Valley of Ottawa.

His chief recreations were gardening, bowling, and reading, and although not active in strenuous athletics, he always maintained a keen interest in the results of competitive sport.

"Bert" Nugent, as he was familiarly known to his friends, was possessed of a modest and kindly nature; devoted to his family, his Church, and his Lodges. He had the gift of making and retaining friends, in whose hearts his sudden passing has left a void which cannot easily be filled.

In 1910, he was married to Vida Augusta Keyes, who predeceased him in 1925, and he is survived by two daughters, Mrs. C. G. Culley (Elizabeth) of Ottawa, and Mrs. H. S. McLellan (Ruth) of Sault Ste. Marie; one sister, Mrs. G. F. Metzler of Ottawa, and five grandchildren, to whom our sincere sympathy is extended.

The funeral service, conducted by Rev. F. R. Harback, minister of Kingsway United Church, was held in the Chapel of the Hulse and Playfair Funeral Home, on Monday, January 21st, 1957, in the presence of a large number of sorrowing brethren and friends, and interment was made in Beechwood Cemetery, Ottawa.

"It is not death to die,
To leave this weary road,
And 'midst the brotherhood on high
To be at home with God."

Virtus Junxit Mors non Separabit.

R.H.L.

ILL. . BRO. . HOWARD SEYMOUR HAMILTON, 33°

Ill. . Bro. . Howard Seymour Hamilton 33°, Grand Secretary and Registrar Emeritus of the three constituent bodies of the Scottish Rite in the Valley of Halifax passed away at Lynwood Nursing Home in Halifax on January 24th, 1957, following a prolonged period of illness, hospitalization and nursing care.

Born at Pictou, Nova Scotia, on January 14th, 1881, Seymour Hamilton was educated in the town schools and at Pictou Academy. He later joined the family biscuit manufacturing business, becoming its general manager in 1926.

Following the death of his father Bro. . Hamilton sold the business and moved to Halifax where he was employed with the Sun Life Assurance Company for three years before joining the advertising department of the Halifax Herald in 1932. He retired in 1950.

While living in Pictou Bro. . Hamilton was very active in the community life of the town and county, serving as a provincial representative on the school board, a member of the Pictou Cottage Hospital Board and chairman of the building committee of the Sutherland Memorial Hospital. He worked for many years on various committees of the Pictou County Exhibition and was responsible for the development of the children's department as an outstanding feature of that annual event.

In 1896, at the age of 15, Seymour Hamilton joined the reserve army as a gunner in the Pictou Garrison Artillery, was commissioned in 1901, and in 1910 became commanding officer of the 28th Battery O.C.F.A. He held the long service medal and the colonial auxiliary officer's decoration.

In 1908 he married Annie Florence Garrison, of Halifax, who survives him; also surviving are two sons, Howard of Halifax, Garrison of Montreal and four grandchildren.

In Freemasonry, Bro. . Hamilton had a long and distinguished career. Joining New Caledonia Lodge No. 11 in his native town of Pictou in 1924, he later affiliated with and became a life member of St. Andrews Lodge No. 1 in Halifax; he served as its Worshipful Master in 1936-37. In Craft Lodge Masonry Wor. Bro. Hamilton devoted much time to the Masonic education of the younger members. He became a charter member of Equity Lodge No. 106 in Halifax in 1938 and was appointed Grand Tyler of the Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia and Grand Tyler of the Grand

Chapter of Royal Arch Masons in the same year, to which offices he was successively appointed each year until his death.

As a recognition of his service to the Grand Lodge of Nova Scotia and his devotion to the cause of Freemasonry generally he was given the honorary rank of past grand director of ceremonies in 1939 and of past grand senior warden in 1950. He was also a past grand scribe of the Royal Arch Masons.

Bro. Hamilton became a member of the Scottish Rite when he joined Victoria Lodge of Perfection in Halifax in 1928. He was advanced to the 18° in Keith Sovereign Chapter Rose Croix in 1929 and served as Most Wise Sovereign of this Chapter for the years of 1941 and 1942.

Receiving his 32° in Nova Scotia Consistory in 1930, Ill. Bro. Hamilton was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General 33° at Calgary in 1947.

Elected Grand Secretary and Registrar of the three Scottish Rite Bodies in the Valley of Halifax in 1945 Ill. Bro. Hamilton carried out the responsibilities of these offices in a most efficient manner until 1955 when he was obliged, due to failing health, to ask for relief from the arduous duties involved, and the Emeritus rank was conferred on him.

Ill. Bro. Hamilton was created a Noble of the Ancient Arabic Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine in Halifax in 1952 and rendered valuable assistance to Philae Temple as Chairman of its membership committees in the years of 1953 and 1954.

Funeral services were held in the Halifax Funeral Home and were attended by a large number of friends and brethren, including many members of Supreme Council.

Ill. Bro. Hamilton, one of the most prominent members of the Masonic fraternity in Nova Scotia, was well known in Scottish Rite circles throughout Canada and he will be greatly missed by his many friends.

To his widow and the bereaved members of his family we extend our deep sympathy in the great loss they have sustained.

C.L.E.

ILL. BRO. WILLIAM HENRY THOMAS KEIRLE, 33°

They are passing away, these friends of old,
like leaves on the current cast.
We watch them One by One as they go
into the dreamland of the past.

On January 25th, 1957, death came suddenly, but not unexpectedly, to Illustrious Brother Keirle following a lengthy period of failing health, which climaxed with a severe heart attack taking him away in his 71st year.

He was born in Brant County, Province of Ontario. He lived his full life in and around St. George, a bustling town fairly close to Brantford, Ontario, where he received his public and high school education.

On March 4th, 1911, he joined the staff of Life Insurance salesmen for the Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada and continued with that Company until his physical condition forced him to retire in 1952. He took a keen interest in all his clients and his grasp of the Life Insurance business was such that he was able to give exceptional service in this valuable branch of financial security for those whom he served. They, in turn, had a high respect for his integrity and straight-forward dealings. He held the confidence of a great many people.

The Masonic Order made a great appeal to our Illustrious Brother, who joined St. George Lodge No. 243, in 1915, and from that time on he never lost his interest or activity. He served as Worshipful Master of his Craft Lodge in 1923, and in the Scottish Rite received the 14° in Murton Lodge of Perfection, Hamilton, February 25th, 1919; the 18° in Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix, November 25th, 1919; the 32° in Moore Sovereign Consistory, Hamilton, May 8th, 1931, and was coroneted 33° Honorary Inspector-General on October 14th, 1952.

Ill. Bro. Keirle was also a member of the Shrine and quite active in the Shriners Club of Brantford, serving as President in 1946. He took a very keen and active interest in Shrine activities in regard to crippled children and lent a great deal of support to the Ladder of Smiles Campaign to raise funds for the Children's Hospitals.

Ill. Bro. Keirle was an enthusiastic member of the Brantford Rotary Club, holding a record of 15 years' perfect attendance and was still an active member at the time of his passing. His warm personality and cheery smile endeared him to all with whom he came in contact.

The service at his funeral was conducted by his pastor, the Rev. Arthur F. Gardner of St. George United Church. Mr. Gardner paid Bro. Keirle an eloquent tribute, pointing out the high esteem in which he was held in the community. The church was filled to capacity with a large number of friends and brethren of the Masonic fraternity, with a high percentage of members from the Brantford Rotary Club.

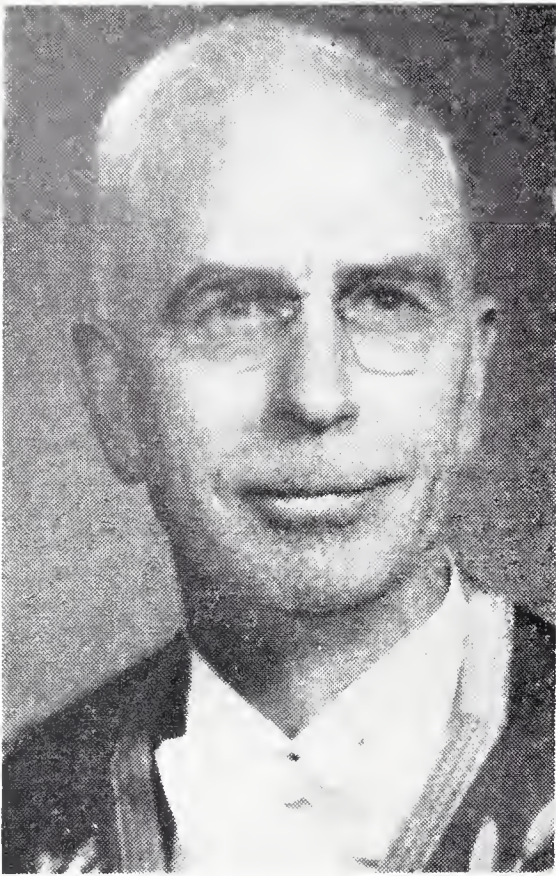
He leaves to mourn his passing, his widow, two sons and two daughters.

“Death is not a journey into a foreign land,”
said RUSKIN, “but a voyage Home.”

The Great Ruler of the universe has taken our brother to his keeping,—may his soul rest in peace.

Our heartfelt sympathy is expressed to the bereaved.

J.A.W.



ILL.° BRO.° ALVIN L. BENNETT, 33°



ILL.° BRO.° ERIC WELLESLEY BOAK, 33°



ILL.° BRO.° GEORGE F. ELLIS, 33°



ILL.° BRO.° WALTER R. BRADFORD, 33°

ILL. BRO. ALVIN LEWIS BENNETT, 33°

The end came to the earthly pilgrimage of Ill. Bro. Alvin L. Bennett 33° on January 26th, 1957, at the South Waterloo Memorial Hospital, Galt, Ontario, following a heart seizure which he had suffered ten days earlier. Ill. Bro. Bennett had lived a very full and busy life, although for the last two years his activities had been greatly curtailed as the result of an earlier heart attack.

He was born in Kincardine, Ont., on May 10th, 1889, where he received his education. But it was to be in Galt that he was to make his great contribution to his day and generation. He moved to Galt on January 2nd, 1912, when he entered the employ of Messrs. P. W. Gardiner & Son, Ltd., manufacturers of doors, sash, and millwork. He continued in their employ for 43 years, for 30 of which he served as a Director and Secretary-Treasurer and Sales Manager of the firm. He travelled extensively in the performance of his duties, and was well known over a large part of Canada. During the Second World War, at the request of the Timber Controller, he served as chairman of the Ontario Millwork Committee, helping to arrange millwork supplies for the Wartime Housing and other government requirements.

In the wider business sphere he was for several years a member of the Ontario Executive of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, and represented that Association on the Industrial Standards Association to formulate a Safety Code for the Woodworking industry in Canada. He was in 1943 the chairman of the Woodworkers' Accident Prevention Association of Ontario, and in 1946 was elected President of the Industrial Accident Prevention Association of Ontario.

For twenty years he was a Director of the Galt Y.M.C.A., including two years as Recording Secretary of the Board, and three consecutive years as President.

A director of the Galt Chamber of Commerce, he served also in the field of education, being elected to the Board in 1926 for a two-year term, during which he was chairman of finance.

He became a member of the Galt Kiwanis Club in 1933, and served as President for the years 1936 and 1937. His sterling qualities and speaking abilities were recognized in 1952 when he was elected Lieut.-Governor of Kiwanis International in Division 3 of Ontario, Quebec, and the Maritime Provinces.

Ill. Bro. Bennett's Masonic Life commenced with his initiation in 1930 in Alma Lodge No. 72 at Galt. That was but the beginning of a

career which was to make a great contribution to the fraternity in its several branches. He was made a Royal Arch Mason on June 28th, 1945, in Waterloo Chapter No. 32 at Galt, and on May 15th, 1946, he entered the Scottish Rite in the Royal City Lodge of Perfection at Guelph. This was followed by his becoming a Sovereign Prince in the Guelph Chapter of Rose Croix on November 17th, 1948, and a member of Moore Sovereign Consistory at Hamilton on May 6th, 1949. He took an active part in some of the Scottish Rite degrees at Guelph. He was initiated as a member of Conestoga Conclave No. 12, Kitchener, Ont., on April 7th, 1951, and initiated into the Mystic Shrine in Mocha Temple, London, in October, 1952. The crowning event of Masonry for him came on September 11th, 1956, when his great services to Masonry and mankind in general were recognized and he was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General of the Supreme Council. He served terms as Worshipful Master of Alma Lodge, Galt, Preceptor of St. Omer Preceptory, Galt, and Senior General Conestoga Conclave No. 12, Kitchener, President of the Past Masters' Association of Wellington District, and Chairman for two years for Wellington District Food Parcels for Britain. On November 8th, 1943, he was installed as Grand Senior Warden of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario to complete the unexpired term of the late William Mills, who had been killed in an accident. Later Grand Lodge conferred all the honors appertaining to the office by regular election. He was appointed to the Board of General Purposes in 1947 for a two-year term, and this appointment was renewed for similar terms by the four subsequent Grand Masters. On May 14th, 1951, he was appointed in the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, the representative of the Grand Lodge of New Zealand at Wellington, N.Z.

Notwithstanding his heavy business responsibilities and the many other and varied interests to which he gave freely of his energy and talents, far beyond the call of duty, Ill.' Bro.' Bennett was a prominent and valued member of the church. He served for seven years as Superintendent of the Sunday School of Lincoln Ave. Methodist Church, and from 1947 to 1954 was chairman of the Board of Managers of First United Church, Galt. It was in the latter church that the funeral service was held. The large congregation present, consisting of friends of Church, Masonry, Education, Scouting, Kiwanis, and business, bore eloquent witness to the worth and service of our departed brother. The service was conducted by the minister of the church, the Rev. Dr. T. T. Faichney, assisted by the Rev. H. A. Bunt. Dr. Faichney's panegyric was a very fitting tribute to the life of the deceased. He said he was a man of simple tastes, vigorous, successful, and highly respected in business, keenly interested in community affairs, and as an active

church worker he gave unstintingly of his means, talents, and energy. He had at heart the welfare of his fellow-men, and had many friends who admired his exceptional ability and high integrity. In his life there was no blot on his escutcheon; he was one of God's gentlemen. His life could be summed up under two headings—dedication and drive. He gave his life to God in Christ and all of his life was lived under a sense of purpose, a purpose that entered into everything he said and did. It was seen in the dedication of the home which he shared with his life partner, and in all his work in the church, and especially in the church renovation which he saw to a successful conclusion, and the chancel window will be a memorial to him and his wife and children. Never arrogant nor intolerant, yet he took his stand, but held his friendship with those who might differ from him. In regard to his going on he could think of it is no better way than in the words of John Bunyan when the time came for Mr. Valiant-for-Truth:

“After this it was noised abroad that Mr. Valiant-for-Truth was taken with a summons:

When he understood it, he called for his friends, and told them of it.

Then said he “I am going to my Father's House.”

When the day that he must go hence was come,

Many accompanied him to the river side,

Into which as he went, he said

‘Death, where is thy sting.’

And as he went down deeper, he said

‘Grave where is thy victory?’

So he passed over

And all the trumpets sounded for him on the other side! ! ! !”

The local and other Masonic Brethren paid their tribute to Ill. Bro. Bennett in a Masonic service in the funeral home on the previous evening, when with the symbolic forefinger upraised they said “Farewell, Brother.”

Ill. Bro. Bennett married Violet Ackerman of Midland on June 10th, 1914. They had two children, but both died in infancy, and his wife predeceased him in 1944. Since that time he had taken into his home and family his niece, her husband, and two daughters, who surrounded him with loving care. They and a brother, Earl, of Montreal, survive him.

He leaves behind “footprints” of progress and service “on the sands of time” and well merits the supreme accolade in recognition of a life

salutarily spent, "Well done, good and faithful servant," and, as Dr. Faichney quoted, in the words of Milton's "Samson's Agonistes":

"Nothing is here for tears: Nothing to wail
Or beat the breast: No weakness, no continuing
Dispraise or blame: Nothing but well and fair
And what may quiet us in a death so noble."

J.C.

ILL. BRO. ERIC WELLESLEY BOAK, 33°

Ill. Bro. Eric Wellesley Boak, Honorary 33° died at Victoria, B.C. on April 4th, 1957.

Here was a sweet and gentle man. Ill. Bro. Boak was born on January 29th, 1890, at Halifax, Nova Scotia. His education was directed to his chosen profession of Medicine, especially Surgery. His University years were spent at Queen's and McGill. After graduating in Medicine he interned in Vancouver General Hospital. During World War I he served in the R.C.N. as Surgeon Lieutenant. Whilst stationed thus at Esquimalt, B.C. Ill. Bro. Boak was initiated an Entered Apprentice in United Service Lodge No. 24, G.R.B.C., and on June 3rd, 1915, he was raised in that Lodge, afterwards affiliating with St. Andrews Lodge No. 49 G.R. B.C. The Victoria Lodge of Perfection was fortunate to receive his application and he received the 4° on November 1st, 1921, and the 14° on December 14th, 1921. He advanced to a brilliant position in Freemasonry. T. P. G. M. Victoria Lodge of Perfection, 1943; M. W. S. Victoria Chapter Rose Croix, 1932; W.M. St. Andrew's Lodge No. 49 G.R. B.C. 1940. On September 13th, 1949, he was elevated to the rank of Honorary Inspector-General 33°. His professional achievements were noted. He was a Member of the College of Surgeons of the Province of British Columbia; a Fellow of the International College of Surgeons; a member of the American College of Surgeons; a Member of the Pacific Northwest Surgical Society; Chief Medical Officer for the C.P.R.'s B.C. Coast Service, and Medical Officer for the Pacific Great Eastern Railway. He served on the Medical Staffs of the Royal Jubilee Hospital and St. Joseph's Hospital in Victoria and had a busy practice of his own. He was a Past-President of the British Columbia Medical Association.

In spite of all these exactions upon his time, Ill. Bro. Boak's attendance at Lodge was phenomenal. There he shed a bright light upon all who witnessed the performance of his duties in the degrees. The manner of his performance was such as to give a deeper meaning and significance. The Easter ceremonies in Victoria will forever echo with his interpretation of the ceremony of the Feast Obligatory and the Extinguishing of the Lights. It was in fact a benediction. He was a

regular attendant at Annual Sessions of Supreme Council. He was at the time of his death Intendant General of Western Canada Conclave No. 25 Red Cross of Constantine and also a member of The Royal Order of Scotland.

A Presbyterian, he was a distinguished member of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Victoria, of which he was a trustee and a former manager. There also his attendance was regular and faithful. From that Church he was buried by The Very Reverend Dr. J. L. W. McLean on Saturday, April 6th, 1957, in the presence of hundreds of friends and brethren.

Thus we mourn him. To his dear wife, his two sons and their families goes the deep sympathy of his Masonic Brethren.

"Lord, now lettest Thou thy servant depart in Peace."

R.A.B.W.

ILL. . BRO. . GEORGE FREDERICK ELLIS, 33°

On Thursday morning, April 4th, 1957, Ill. . Bro. . George Frederick Ellis 33°, passed peacefully away after months of illness resulting from an automobile accident in July, 1956. He was called from this Abode of Time and Suffering to become the Eternal Guest of the Great Architect of the Universe who presides over those mansions of bliss prepared for those who serve Him here.

Bro. . Ellis was born in Askwith, Yorkshire, England, August 4th, 1889, and received his education in the Old Land. He moved to Canada in 1909, first to Winnipeg and, in January, 1914, to Calgary.

He was interested in many lines of activity and, in 1944, established his own business, in which he was active until the time of his passing.

In religious persuasion, he was a devoted member of Wesley United Church and sang in the choir of that Church for over forty years. He was a member of the Board of Stewards of the Church and also an untiring worker in the Sunday School. He also participated in community activities, particularly the Boy Scouts' Association, in which organization he was intensely interested. He was a member of the Calgary Chamber of Commerce and also of the Petroleum Club.

Bro. . Ellis was an enterprising member of Freemasonry. He was a Charter Member of Concord Lodge No. 124 and served as its Worshipful Master in 1926. He was elected Junior Grand Warden of the Grand Lodge of Alberta in 1938, Senior Grand Warden the next year, the following year Deputy Grand Master and, in 1941-1942, served in the Office of

Grand Master of that Grand Jurisdiction. During his term as Grand Master, his fraternal visitations were many both inside and outside the Jurisdiction. Ill. Bro. Ellis was the recipient of many honours from other Grand Jurisdictions. He was elected Honorary Past Grand Master of the Grand Lodges of Minnesota, North Dakota, Montana, Manitoba and Saskatchewan. He also served for many years as the Grand Representative of the Grand Jurisdiction of British Columbia near the Grand Lodge of Alberta. He was always a welcome speaker at Masonic functions.

He was a member of Calgary Lodge of Perfection, of which Body he was T. P. G. M. in 1935, of Delta Chapter of Rose Croix and the Alberta Consistory. In ritualistic work he strove for perfection and assisted in many of the degrees, acting as supervisor for several of the degree teams.

On October 1st, 1945, he was honored by Supreme Council by being coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General 33°.

He was also a member of the Royal Order of Scotland, Otuskwan Chapter Royal Arch Masons, and of Al Azhar Temple A.A.O.N.M.S.

Bro. Ellis was the guiding spirit behind the Inter-Provincial Conference of the Four Western Masonic Jurisdictions held at Banff in September of each year, serving as Secretary for fifteen years. The success of the Conference was due in large measure to his indefatigable efforts. He gave freely of his time, without thought of reward, and the Conference will miss his smiling personality and keen enthusiasm. Through his influence, attendants at the Conference included not only those from the four Western Provinces but many Grand Masters and prominent Masons from other Jurisdictions both in Canada and the United States.

Besides his wife, Willa, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. J. F. (Marion) Whitworth, and one son, Ernest, all of Calgary, three sisters in England and two brothers in Eastern Canada. A son, Kenneth George, predeceased him in 1928.

The funeral services were held at Wesley United Church, with the Pastor, Rev. John D. McKenzie, officiating. The remaining members of the Quartet of which Bro. Ellis was a member, sang most touchingly, "Remember Me, O Mighty One."

There was a large attendance of members of the congregation, many prominent citizens of Calgary and many Masonic Brethren, including the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Alberta, representatives from the Grand Lodges of Saskatchewan and Montana, and many Past Grand Masters and outstanding members of the Masonic fraternity.

The services were a well-deserved tribute to a prominent citizen and a much-loved member of the Masonic Fraternity. He was an enthusiastic and energetic worker in all branches of Freemasonry and his sterling personality and Christian character will long be revered by those who knew him. To his bereaved family, we extend sincere sympathy in their hour of great loss. Let us emulate his many virtues and, in the Grand Lodge Above, may he enjoy the felicity of a life well lived.

“His heart was pure
His purpose high
His thought serene
His patience vast
He put all strife of passion by
And lived to God from first to last.

There is no flower of meek delight
There is no star of Heavenly pride
That shines not sweeter and more bright
Because he lived and loved and sang.”

H.B.M.

ILL. . BRO. . WALTER RUSSELL BRADFORD, 33°

In the early morning hours of April 12th, 1957, Ill. . Bro. . Walter Russell Bradford passed to his Eternal Rest, after a long illness.

Brother Bradford was born in Granby on August 13th, 1893, the son of Walter Drake Bradford and his wife Mary Swift. He received his early education in Granby High School, graduating in 1910. He attended McGill University, graduating in 1914, receiving the degree of Bachelor of Arts with, honors in Economics and Political Science.

After graduation he went into business with his father in the firm of W. D. Bradford & Son, General Merchants, which partnership was dissolved by the death of his father in 1934. The business was continued in partnership with Mr. R. H. Wiggins under the name of Bradford & Wiggins, until 1950, when he sold out his interest to his partner.

Brother Bradford was very active in community life in Granby, where he lived all his life. He occupied the position of Secretary-Treasurer of the Granby Protestant School Board from 1922 to his death. He was also the Vice-President of the Protective Association of Canada, Representative of the Alma Mater Fund and member of the Scholarship Committee of McGill Graduates Society in the District of Bedford, and for many years an active member and a Past President of the Granby Curling Club.

His Church affiliation was with the United Church of Canada, of which he was Clerk of the Session in the Church in Granby and a member of the Montreal Presbytery.

His Masonic career started on January 20th, 1916, when he was initiated in Phoenix Lodge No. 87 in Granby. This Lodge was absorbed by Yamaska Lodge No. 21 in 1921 and Brother Bradford became Worshipful Master of this latter Lodge in 1922. He was District Deputy Grand Master of the District of Shefford and Brome in 1931 and was elected Deputy Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Quebec in June, 1954, and in June, 1956, his brethren honored him by electing him Grand Master. He died in office.

In Capitular Masonry, Brother Bradford was exalted in Dorchester Chapter No. 4, Waterloo, on June 14th, 1917, was First Principal of that Chapter in 1921 and again in 1953. He filled the office of District Grand Superintendent of Bedford District in 1922. He was also a member of Bedford Conclave of the Red Cross of Constantine, and of Karnak Temple of the Order of the Mystic Shrine.

He was received in Hochelaga Grand Lodge of Perfection on October 30th, 1922, and was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General in Vancouver on September 20th, 1955. Brother Bradford was one of the most assiduous members, rarely missing a meeting of the Rite in Montreal, travelling the fifty miles from Granby to Montreal in all sorts of weather.

The funeral was held in the United Church of Granby on Monday, April 15, and was conducted by the Rev. Cyril W. Foggo, pastor of the Church. The Church was filled to capacity—a testimonial to a man who had faithfully served his God, his community and his brethren for so many years.

He leaves to mourn his loss, his widow, the former Mildred Goodfellow, one son, Walter, and one daughter, Shirley, to whom we extend our heartfelt sympathy.

Brother Bradford was one of those outstanding characters it was a privilege to know, of unimpeachable integrity his life, in the church, in the community and in his home, stood out as an example to all who passed by. We shall indeed miss him but shall treasure his memory. The following quotation can best express our feelings:—

“Now turning home at sound of evening bell, this stalwart son,
Would, tired and weary, drop his burden and,
For granite carving, leave a worthy name.
His to wait on God’s eternal sun-kissed hills.
We shall not mourn that he has gone away,
Our tears are grateful pearls that once he came.”

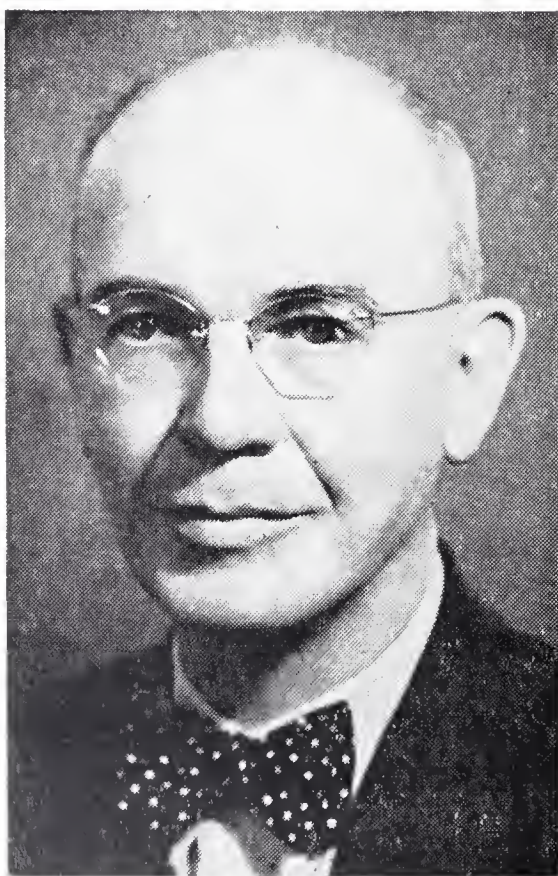
R.W.L.



ILL. BRO. ELMER J. HUDSON, 33°



ILL. BRO. GEORGE DEKLEINHANS, 33°



ILL. BRO. JOHN L. MCKINNON, 33°



ILL. BRO. C. FREDERICK MARSHALL, 33°

ILL. . BRO. . ELMER JULIAN HUDSON, 33°

With startling suddenness, in the afternoon of Sunday, April 28th, 1957, the hand of death struck our beloved and esteemed brother, Elmer Julian Hudson 33°. He had attended church that morning with Mrs. Hudson and was apparently his usual self. A severe heart attack occurred without warning, and with fatal results, while quietly occupied at home.

Born at Ravenna, near Collingwood, Ontario, on January 1st, 1900, he received his early education there and joined the staff of the Royal Bank of Canada in 1916. For the next seven years he served the bank in various branches throughout Canada, leaving its employ in 1923 to become Secretary-Treasurer of the Harvey Knitting Company Limited in Woodstock, Ontario. In 1933 he moved to Hamilton, Ontario, becoming the Vice-President and Sales Manager of the newly formed Crown Dominion Oil Company Limited of that city.

His quiet efficiency in organization and his merchandizing acumen contributed in no small way to the growth and prestige of his Company and resulted in a profitable sale to Reliance Petroleum Corporation in 1949, when Ill. . Bro. . Hudson left their employ and organized his own business, establishing Sterling Oil Distributors Limited for the sale and Distribution of petroleum products in the Hamilton area. This move proved to be a most satisfactory one and his new Company prospered under his expert guidance. His relationships with customers and employees were alike friendly and cordial, while his competitors respected and esteemed his ethics in all business transactions.

For many years Ill. . Bro. . Hudson took a deep interest in his church and after arriving in Hamilton became active on the Board of Delta United Church, serving altogether for fifteen years and during seven of which he was Treasurer. Having moved his residence to the Port Nelson area just east of Burlington in 1951 he was one of those who took the leadership in the formation of the Port Nelson United Church, becoming a charter member and serving on the Board since its inception in 1953.

His Masonic activities began in 1923 when he joined King Solomon Lodge No. 43, G.R.C. at Woodstock, Ontario, and served as Worshipful Master June, 1929 - June, 1930. In May, 1942, he received the 14° in Murton Lodge of Perfection, Hamilton, Ontario, and continued the Scottish Rite series during the next two years, being constituted 32° in Moore Sovereign Consistory, May, 1944. Ill. . Bro. . Hudson took a deep interest in the Scottish Rite becoming increasingly active in degree work

and as an Officer. On September 20th, 1955, he was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General 33° at the Meeting of Supreme Council in Vancouver. When the Council met last Fall in Hamilton, he acted as Chairman of the local Transportation Committee and was mainly responsible for the excellent arrangements for the cars and buses that provided the service between hotel and Cathedral for the men and the various outside tours and functions for the ladies.

He was First Lieutenant Commander of Moore Sovereign Consistory at the time of his death.

On Saturday afternoon, April 27th, 1957, Ill. Bro. Hudson received the degrees of the Royal Order of Scotland; an honor which he deeply appreciated, but which he was fated to enjoy for a matter of hours, only.

Bro. Hudson married Grace Hayes at Norwich, Ontario, on August 18th, 1924. They were a most devoted couple and took mutual delight in travelling together for sight-seeing and vacationing. Their daughter, Mrs. J. D. Twible, also survives him, with three grandchildren.

Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Moir Waters from Robinson's Funeral Home on Wednesday, May 1st. An exceedingly large attendance exhibited the wide circle of friends and acquaintances who held our brother in such high estimation and esteem. Supreme Council was represented by Ill. Bros. J. A. Simpson, C. H. Cunningham and many Honorary Members from the Hamilton Valley.

We have lost one of the princes of Masonry, but our lives will be richer for the memories he has left with us.

C.H.C.

ILL. BRO. GEORGE DeKLEINHANS, 33°

The long and distinguished Masonic career of Illustrious Brother, George DeKleinhans 33°, was suddenly and unexpectedly suspended on May 14th, 1957. He passed to the Grand Lodge above about an hour's time after his removal to the Kitchener-Waterloo Hospital, from his place of business.

It was typical of his lifelong devotion to all branches of Masonry that almost his last words were: "I cannot go to the hospital as I have a meeting tonight." As the first Worshipful Master of Temple Lodge—Under Dispensation—he had completed details for its third regular meeting on the day following his passing and only the day before he had been an active pallbearer at the funeral of a Lodge Brother.

Few Masons, in their lifetime, have achieved so wide-spread and affectionate acquaintance among the brethren and his exemplary life of devotion to others inspired everyone who came in contact with him.

Born on January 14th, 1874, in Guelph, County of Wellington, Province of Ontario, he received the early part of his education in that city, but completed his schooling in Kitchener which became his life-long home.

His wife and his only son predeceased him.

His business career was spent almost entirely in the shirt industry. He started in 1896 with the firm of Williams, Greene & Rome and stayed with them until 1923, when the business was sold to Cluett, Peabody & Co. of Canada, Limited. In 1925 he joined the staff of John Forsyth, Limited, Kitchener, and for many years was Department Manager in charge of special service and custom orders.

Made a Mason, Grand River Lodge No. 151, Kitchener, 1902; Royal Arch Mason, Kitchener Chapter No. 17, 1904; Knight Templar, St. Omer Preceptory No. 62, Galt, 1917; 14° A. & A.S.R., Royal City Lodge of Perfection, Guelph, 1921; 18° A. & A.S.R., Guelph Chapter Rose Croix, 1922; 32° A. & A.S.R., Moore Sovereign Consistory, Hamilton, 1923; Secretary of Grand River Lodge No. 151, during 1904 and 1905; Master of Grand River Lodge No. 151, 1907; One of the founders and a Charter Member of Twin City Lodge No. 509, 1913; Secretary of Twin City Lodge No. 509, 1914 to May, 1957; Scribe E of Kitchener Chapter No. 117 during the years 1911 to 1915 inclusive and from 1927 to 1929; One of the founders and Charter Member of Vallette Preceptory No. 64, 1920; Presiding Preceptor of Vallette Preceptory No. 64, 1925; Registrar of Vallette Preceptory No. 64 since 1920 except the year 1925. For many years a member of and latterly director of 13° A. & A.S.R., Valley of Guelph; Most Wise Sovereign, 1950, Guelph Chapter Rose Croix, also member of 16° cast, Valley of Guelph; Immediate Past President of the Masters' and Past Masters' Ass'n., Wellington District; Secretary-Treasurer of the Masonic Hall Trust, Kitchener; District Deputy Grand Master of Wellington District, 1917; Grand Superintendent, R.A.M., 1931; Grand Pursuivant, Knight Templars, 1934; Representative of the Grand Lodge of Missouri, since 1936; Coroneted Honorary Inspector-General 33°, Supreme Council, A. & A.S.R. Dominion of Canada, October 5th, 1943; Past Sovereign, Conestoga Conclave, Red Cross of Constantine. He was made a Member of the Royal Order of Scotland in 1946.

He was a devoted member of First Church of Christ Scientist for many years. His sincerity was amply proven by respectively serving as a member of the Board, then Chairman and later Treasurer. He further served his Master and his church as First Reader for three terms (each term three years).

G.E.A.J.

ILL. .BRO. .JOHN LACHLAN McKINNON, 33°

On May 17th, 1957, Ill. .Bro. .John Lachlan McKinnon, 33°, passed away in the City Hospital, Saskatoon. For some years he had not been in good health yet his passing came as a great shock to his family, his many friends and associates as he had entered the hospital a few days previous for routine treatment.

Ill. .Bro. .McKinnon was born March 18th, 1891, at Priceville, Grey County, Ontario, and received his early education in a country school, later attending Durham Continuation School, graduating in 1906. After attending Stratford Normal School, he taught for a number of years and entered Queen's University in October, 1912. In April, 1915, he received his B.A. degree from Queen's University with first-class honors in history and after attending Saskatoon Normal School joined the staff of Saskatoon Collegiate Institute in 1916. On the opening of Bedford Road Collegiate, he became head of the department of history and in September 1931 was appointed vice-principal in charge of the department of History and English in the newly opened Saskatoon Technical Collegiate Institute. He held this position until June, 1951, when he was appointed principal of City Park Collegiate retiring in June, 1956. During his early years as vice-principal of Saskatoon Technical Collegiate Institute, he attended the University of Saskatchewan, receiving the degree of Bachelor of Education in 1942.

Ill. .Bro. .McKinnon was initiated, passed and raised, in 1918 in Imperial Lodge No. 60, Saskatoon, and served as Worshipful Master in 1926.

In the Scottish Rite, he received his 14° January 21st, 1921, in Saskatoon Lodge of Perfection; his 18° April 13th, 1922, in Regina Chapter of Rose Croix becoming a Charter Member of Saskatoon Chapter of Rose Croix on the forming of the Chapter in 1926. On May 30th, 1923, he received his 32° in Saskatchewan Consistory in Regina and was for a few years an officer of the Consistory, resigning due to it being impossible for him to attend regularly. On October 6th, 1936, he was coroneted Honorary Inspector-General at London, Ontario.

He was T. P. G. M. of Saskatoon Lodge of Perfection in 1926-1927 and M. W. S. of Saskatoon Chapter of Rose Croix 1931-1932. In 1947 he was elected Almoner of the Scottish Rite bodies in Saskatoon, which office he held at the time of his death.

He was a devout member of St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, a member and clerk of session and extremely active in the work connected with the Presbytery in Saskatoon.

Ill. Bro. McKinnon was an excellent ritualist and took a prominent part in conferring Degrees in Saskatoon Lodge of Perfection and Saskatoon Chapter of Rose Croix. His delivery, dignity and sincerity in Degree work, particularly in the 18° and 24° will always be remembered by those who were associated with him in those Degrees.

"John L." as he was known to his friends and he had many in all walks of life, will long be remembered as a great and true gentleman, loved and respected by all who knew him, kind and gentle in all his relations with his fellowmen. He was never too busy to give aid and counsel to the many with whom he came in contact, whether it was a pupil, a friend, or a Brother Mason.

Ill. Bro. McKinnon is survived by his wife, a son and a daughter; to whom we extend our sincere sympathy in the great loss they have sustained.

Funeral services were held from St. Andrews Presbyterian Church, Saskatoon, on May 22nd, 1957, and were conducted by the pastor, the Reverend E. S. Mackay. Imperial Lodge No. 60 conducted the service at the graveside. The church was filled to capacity with Masons, relatives and friends who gathered to pay their last respects to a beloved Brother, a devoted husband, a loving father and a loyal friend.

Supreme Council was represented by Ill. Bro. Douglas Fraser, Past Sovereign Grand Commander, and Ill. Bro. D. A. R. McCannel, Deputy for the Province. Thus we pay tribute to one who was true to every obligation and faithful in the performance of every duty assigned to him.

"Upon the door that ever opens outward from this life into the great eternity, we place a wreath of laurel intertwined with acacia, symbol of victory and immortality."

L.H.

ILL. . BRO. . CHARLES FREDERICK MARSHALL, 33°

It is with profound sorrow and deep regret we report the death of Illustrious Brother Charles Frederick Marshall, 33°, Honorary Member of Supreme Council, A. & A.S.R. for the Dominion of Canada, who passed peacefully away at the Nora Frances Henderson Hospital, Hamilton, on Saturday, May 18th, 1957, at the age of 76.

Born March 12th, 1881, at Kirkton, County of Huron, Province of Ontario, (married on August 13th, 1913, to Pearle A. Dales of Brockville, Ontario.) he attended Public School at Kirkton, Collegiate Institute at St. Marys and University of Toronto, graduating with the Degree of Bachelor of Arts in Honour Chemistry and Mineralogy in 1906. Attended Ontario Normal College 1906 - 1907.

On September 1st, 1907, he started teaching at Ridgetown, where he stayed for two years, then came to Hamilton, September 1st, 1909. After 15 years at Central Collegiate Institute was appointed Head of Science Department at Delta Collegiate and later Principal of Delta Collegiate, retiring in 1949.

His interest in science caused him to take great interest in clubs and societies devoted to that subject. President of Hamilton Burroughs Nature Club, 1913-1914; Assistant Curator of Hamilton Literary and Scientific Society; Member of Royal Astronomical Society; Executive Member of Chemical Institute of Canada; President of Science section of Ontario Educational Association, 1932-1933.

He held membership in Glendale Golf and Country Club, Argyle Lawn Bowling Club and Hamilton Victoria Bowling and Curling Club.

A member of the team of Canadian Curlers who visited Scotland and Switzerland in 1950.

Brother Marshall was an active member of Ryerson United Church. He had served as an Elder and on the Board of Stewards.

A brief summary of his Masonic activities follows:—

Initiated in St. John's Lodge No. 40 A.F. & A.M., G.R.C., 1910; Worshipful Master of St. John's Lodge in 1922; District Deputy Grand Master of Hamilton District "A", 1937; Secretary of St. John's Lodge No. 40, A.F. & A.M., 1931, through 1956; President of Past Masters' Association of the Hamilton District, A.F. & A.M., in 1942; Member of Hindoo Koosh Grotto. In the Scottish Rite he received the 14° in

Murton Lodge of Perfection in May, 1912; the 18° in Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix in June, 1913 and was Most Wise Sovereign 1946 - 1948; received the 32° in Moore Sovereign Consistory in June, 1920, and was Coroneted 33° Honorary Inspector-General of the Supreme Council, A. & A.S.R., October 14th, 1952, by Illustrious Brother Douglas Fraser, 33°, at Niagara Falls, Ontario.

Brother Marshall is survived by his wife, of 43 Fairleigh Avenue South, a daughter Elizabeth Louise (Mrs. John Howard) of Burlington, two grandchildren, a brother, Ira, of Kirkland Lake, Ontario, and three sisters, Mrs. W. D. Ferguson of Hamilton, Mrs. Pearle Butcher of Simcoe and Mrs. Stanley Wood of Winnipeg. To his widow, his daughter and other members of his family, we tender our warmest sympathy.

He played well his part as a real man, a kindly Christian gentleman and a true friend and counsellor.

“They never quite leave us, the friends
who have passed
Through the shadows of death to
the sunlight above;
A thousand sweet memories
holding them fast
To the places they blessed with
their presence and love.”

F.W.S.



ILL. BRO. CLARENCE A. G. CONLEY, 33°



ILL. BRO. JAMES H. GIBSON, 33°



ILL. BRO. CHARLES H. MARTIN, 33°

ILL. . BRO. . CLARENCE A. GARDINER CONLEY, 33°

Following an illness of several months Ill. . Bro. . Clarence A. Gardiner Conley 33° passed quietly away on June 20th, 1957.

Gard, as he was affectionately known to his Masonic brethren and friends, was born in Ottawa on July 21st, 1887. He was educated in the Ottawa Public Schools and the Lisgar Collegiate, Ottawa.

He started his business career with Thos. Birkett & Sons, Wholesale Hardware merchants and when that Company ceased to exist he went into business for himself as Agent for various well known companies in the Hardware and Household utensil fields.

Ill. . Bro. . Conley was initiated in Doric Lodge No. 58 G.R.C. in Ontario and was raised to the Third Degree on June 18th, 1918. He was Worshipful Master of his lodge in the year 1927 and up until the time of his passing had been Treasurer of his lodge for many years.

He became a member of the Ottawa Lodge of Perfection and received his 14° on March 10th, 1920. He received his 18° in Murray Chapter Rose Croix on March 10th, 1921 and served as Most Wise Sovereign in 1943. In Moore Sovereign Consistory he received his 32° on November 6th, 1942 and was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General 33° at the meeting of Supreme Council at Calgary on September 9th, 1947. He was keenly interested in Scottish Rite Masonry and in addition to performing the duties of Treasurer over the past eight years he was active in directing and staging various degrees to the complete satisfaction of his brethren.

He was an active member of the United Church and ever ready to lend a helping hand to those in need. In fact few days passed in which Gard didn't do someone a good turn. He had a deep interest in young people and was exceedingly helpful in training them in their dramatic work and in staging their plays.

The high esteem in which he was held was well evidenced by the large gathering of Masons and friends who paid their last respects at the funeral service conducted by the Rev. Dr. A. M. J. Gray of St. Paul's Eastern United Church, Ottawa.

His wife predeceased him in 1940 and he is survived by his son Robert, his daughter Phyllis and two grandchildren to whom we extend our sincere sympathy.

He will be greatly missed by his Masonic friends in the Ottawa District and beyond.

J.P.M.

ILL. . BRO. . JAMES HAMILTON GIBSON, 33°

Illustrious Brother Gibson, one of the best known and genuinely loved Masons in Hamilton died suddenly on July 9th, 1957.

Born on October 25th, 1890, in Ardrossar, Ayreshire, Scotland, he came to Hamilton with his parents at the age of 13 and attended public school and Central Collegiate Institute. After graduation he entered the service of the Canadian Westinghouse Company, and in 1935 became the Secretary Superintendent of the Hamilton Cemeteries, a position which he held with great credit to himself and benefit to the city until his passing.

He was widely known for his Masonic activities. He received his Master Mason's degree in The Lodge of Strict Observance No. 27, G.R.C., Hamilton, December 1st, 1916, and was Worshipful Master in 1928. For twenty-five years he was a Director of Hamilton Masonic Hall Association, also Chairman of the Trustee Board.

In Scottish Rite Masonry he joined Murton Lodge of Perfection January 22nd, 1918, and Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix June 7th, 1918. He became a member of Moore Sovereign Consistory, receiving the 32° January 29th, 1920, and was a Life Member of the London Consistory Club. He was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General 33° of Supreme Council at London, Ontario, October 5th, 1948.

It was as Chairman of the Reception Committee for the three Hamilton Scottish Rite Bodies, an office he held for over twenty years, that won him a host of friends throughout the Province of Ontario. Brother Gibson was one of the best known and beloved Masons in the Valley of Hamilton.

His genial personality and warmth of greeting will long be remembered by the brethren.

The funeral service was held on Friday, July 12th, from the Dods-worth and Brown Chapel. It was conducted by Rev. C. H. Hetherington, Minister of Pilgrim United Church, where he was a life long member. An exceptionally large number gathered to pay their last respects.

He is survived by his widow, the former Bessie Godard, and one son, James Hamilton Gibson, Jr. To them we tender our deepest sympathy.

T.Mc.C.

ILL. BRO. CHARLES HAMMOND MARTIN, 33°

In the passing of Ill. Bro. Charles Hammond Martin, 33° on August 16th, 1957, the citizens of the Counties of Norfolk and Haldimand suffered a great loss.

He was born on September 11th, 1881, in Walpole Township, Haldimand County. He received his early education in Walpole Township. As a youth he became associated with his father in the piano business in Port Dover, Ontario, and then in 1906 he and his elder brother, John S., opened the Martin Brothers Music Store in Simcoe. Later, his younger brother Harry became associated with the business and he and Charlie had operated it most successfully for the past half century.

Charlie Martin married the former Flora Saville and to them were born two children. Their son, Flying Officer John G. Martin, gave his life for his country in aerial operations over Europe in the second World War. Their daughter, Marjorie Clara, passed away in 1952. In addition to his wife, there remain to mourn his passing one brother Harry of Simcoe and three sisters, Mrs. Lena Murphy, Mrs. Alice McLaughlin, both of St. Thomas, and Mrs. Nellie Stewart of St. Petersburg, Florida. To these we extend our sincere sympathy.

In a busy life, Charlie Martin found time to serve his community in many capacities. For sixteen years he was a member of the Simcoe Board of Education. He was an early member of the Simcoe Rotary Club, served a term as President and recently was made an Honorary Member.

He was a valued member of Trinity Anglican Church, Simcoe, for over forty years, serving several terms as Rector's Warden.

Masonically, he was Initiated in Erie Lodge No. 149 G.R.C., on December 12th, 1904, in company with his brother the late John S. Martin. He was Passed to the 2nd Degree on February 13th, 1905, and was Raised to the 3rd Degree, again in company with his brother John Strickler Martin, on January 8th, 1905.

He received his Mark Master degree in Ezra Chapter, Simcoe, in October, 1919, and in the same Chapter proceeded to the degree of the Holy Royal Arch.

On November 9th, 1943, he Affiliated with Norfolk Lodge No. 10, Simcoe, but retaining his membership in his Mother lodge.

On May 2nd, 1957, he was presented with the 50 Year Jewel.

Beyond the Master Mason degree his great interest lay in Scottish Rite Masonry. He received the 14° in Murton Lodge of Perfection on November 20th, 1934; the 18° in Hamilton Sovereign Chapter of Rose Croix on April 21st, 1935; the 32° in Moore Sovereign Consistory on March 6th, 1936, and was coroneted an Honorary Inspector-General 33° on October 6th, 1942.

Few members of the Craft were more popularly known and more highly respected than Charlie Martin. He was personally acquainted with all the older members and endeared himself to the newer members.

His willing participation in the musical ritual added much to the exemplification of the degree work and in the social part of Masonry.

His contribution to the Craft was of a more personal than official nature. Wherein the stresses and strains of life,—illness and bereavement,—Charlie Martin extended a warm hand of sympathy and fellowship.

He was also a member of Norfolk Lodge No. 225, I.O.O.F., Port Dover.

Bro. Martin was widely known to a host of friends throughout Norfolk and Haldimand Counties through his business associations and was active politically.

Following a number of years as Secretary of the Norfolk Conservative Association he was in 1944 elected to the Ontario Legislature for Haldimand Norfolk riding, and again in the general elections of 1945 and 1948. After giving able and conscientious service to the constituency, he retired from politics in 1951.

His funeral services were held from Trinity Anglican Church, Simcoe, and were conducted by Bro. L. W. Owen, assisted by Ill. Bro. Canon D. J. Cornish 32° and Ill. Bro. Canon C. C. Mixer 32°. Masonic Honors at the graveside were conducted by Ill. Bro. William Johnson 32°.

A.E.W.

Members of Our Obedience whose deaths are
reported in the Returns received up to the
Meeting of Supreme Council.

Adam, George Duncan 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Adams, William James 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Agnew, Walter 18°, Toronto, Ont.
Aiken, Henry Ingram 14°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Alexander, Chesrie Knox 32°, Fort William, Ont.
Allen, Roy Davies 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
Anderson, Alexander 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Anderson, Duncan Mackenzie 18°, Toronto, Ont.
Anderson, Thomas Nichol 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Anderson, William James 32°, London, Ont.
Andrew, Robert 14°, Nelson, B.C.
Andrews, Robert Frank 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Andrews, Samuel Warren 18°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Archdekin, Elmore Stanley 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Argue, John Fenton 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
Armstrong, John Russell 32°, London, Ont.
Arner, Harold Burton 32°, Windsor, Ont.
Arnold, Ernest Frank 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Auger, Percy Henry 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Babcock, Harold Edgar 32°, North Bay, Ont.
Bailey, Harold Milton 32°, Regina, Sask.
Baker, Jermyn Oscar 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Balls, Matthew 14°, Victoria, B.C.
Banting, Thomas Hipwell 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Barnhill, William Perley 32°, Saint John, N.B.
Barrett, Alexander 32°, Ottawa, Ont.
Bartman, Edward Adam 30°, Hamilton, Ont.
Barton, Robert Gustavus 32°, Guelph, Ont.
Beaton, Charles James 18°, North Bay, Ont.
Becker, John Harold 14°, Windsor, Ont.
Beckwith, Edward Maxwell 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Beer, William James 18°, London, Ont.
Bell, Harmon 18°, Guelph, Ont.
Bellamy, Norman James 32°, Moose Jaw, Sask.
Bennett, George Alvin 32°, Saskatoon, Sask.
Bennett, James Fleming 32°, Calgary, Alta.
Berry, Harry Newton 18°, North Bay, Ont.
Best, William Leslie 14°, Ottawa, Ont.
Birch, Frank Jeffrey 18°, Fort William, Ont.
Birchall, William Henry 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Bishop, Charles Edward 32°, Winnipeg, Man.

Bishop, Frederick William 14°, Montreal, Que.
Bisson, Alfred Walter 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Black, Arthur James 18°, Toronto, Ont.
Black, Thomas Clyde 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Blackwell, Walter Rollston L. 18°, Peterborough, Ont.
Blain, Ewart Leon 18°, Toronto, Ont.
Blanchard, Norman 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Blough, Isaac Tilman 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Boguski, Stephen William 18°, Lethbridge, Alta.
Bonham, George Samuel 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Borrowman, Leroy Franklin 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Bothwell, John Alexander 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Bourne, Harry Allan 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Bouskill, John Chalmers 32°, Montreal, Que.
Bowen, John Campbell 18°, Edmonton, Alta.
Bowin, William John 14°, Barrie, Ont.
Boyd, Thomas Harold 32°, Windsor, Ont.
Brabrooke, George 32°, Fort William, Ont.
Braun, Erdman 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
Breen, David Sanderson 32°, London, Ont.
Brewer, Edward Griffith 32°, Montreal, Que.
Bricco, James Arthur 18°, Toronto, Ont.
Brockway, Wilson Judd 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Brooks, William Michelmores 32°, Calgary, Alta.
Brown, Andrew Christopher 32°, Ottawa, Ont.
Brown, James George 32°, Victoria, B.C.
Browne, Russell Milne 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Brownlee, George 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Buckley, Norman John 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Budreo, Joseph Charles 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Calder, James Alexander 14°, Regina, Sask.
Cameron, James Allan 14°, Winnipeg, Man.
Campbell, Frederick George 14°, Ottawa, Ont.
Campbell, James George 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Campbell, John M. 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Campbell, John Ross 14°, Saskatoon, Sask.
Cann, William Lethbridge 14°, Brandon, Man.
Carley, Thomas John 32°, Peterborough, Ont.
Carruthers, Thomas Dawson 18°, Summerside, P.E.I.
Carscallen, Henry Gurney 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Carson, Robert 32°, Brandon, Man.
Case, Maurice Augustus 32°, Regina, Sask.
Catchpole, Edwin Arthur 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Cheston, Frank Calver 18°, London, Ont.
Chivas, John M. 18°, London, Ont.
Clark, Donald FitzWilliam 18°, Lethbridge, Alta.
Clark, Guy Oliver 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Clark, John E. 18°, North Bay, Ont.

Clark, Harold 14°, London, Ont.
Clarke, Francis John 32°, London, Ont.
Clendenan, Douglas Gilmour 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Cochrane, John Craig 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Cole, Robert Henry Wright 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Coleman, Dalton Carry 14°, Winnipeg, Man.
Colley, Edgar John Robert 32°, Moose Jaw, Sask.
Coons, Salem 18°, Hamilton, Ont.
Cornish, Clarence Edgar 32°, Brandon, Man.
Coulter, Charles Stanley 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Court, Bertram Sydney 18°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Craig, William Henry 32°, Fort William, Ont.
Crandell, Sydney Fremont 18°, Victoria, B.C.
Crane, John Wilson 14°, Saskatoon, Sask.
Creed, Gordon Masters 14°, Saskatoon, Sask.
Cross, Robert Henry 32°, Brandon, Man.
Cumming, James MacIntyre 14°, Ottawa, Ont.
Cummings, John Douglas 14°, Guelph, Ont.
Curtis, Lucius Kenmure 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Cuzner, Willard Wilfred 14°, Ottawa, Ont.
Dale, John Franklin 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Dale, Peter A. John 32°, Quebec, Que.
Dalley, Frederick Fenner 18°, Hamilton, Ont.
Davidson, Vincent Herbert 14°, Peterborough, Ont.
Davies, Edward 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Davis, Frederick Augustus 14°, Ottawa, Ont.
Davis, Kenneth Sinclair 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Davis, Sidney Robert 32°, Vernon, B.C.
Dawson, John 32°, Windsor, Ont.
Daymond, Henry Arthur 32°, Guelph, Ont.
Dell, Clarence Bruce 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Denson, Thomas Kelsall 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Derrer, Louis Henry 18°, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.
Devine, Clifford Leroy 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Dewar, George F. 32°, Barrie, Ont.
Dewar, James Grant 32°, Calgary, Alta.
Doig, George Francis 14°, Brandon, Man.
Donald, Robert Grant 14°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Dunham, Henry 30°, Hamilton, Ont.
Dunker, William Henry 32°, Guelph, Ont.
Duplan, John Harold 32°, London, Ont.
Easson, McGregor 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
Echlin, Martin Ronald 32°, Regina, Sask.
Edgar, Joseph Walter 32°, Moose Jaw, Sask.
Edwards, Frederick Wilfred 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Edwards, George Harold 18°, Guelph, Ont.
Edwards, Herbert Sidney 4°, Victoria, B.C.
Eisele, Herbert Victor 14°, Montreal, Que.

Ellingham, John Bernard 14°, Brandon, Man.
Ellison, William 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Elvish, William Daniel 32°, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.
English, William Henry 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Eustace, Harlan Cyrus W. 14°, Moncton, N.B.
Evans, Ernest Milton 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Evans, Henry Clark 32°, Saint John, N.B.
Ewart, Fred Elson 18°, Toronto, Ont.
Eyres, Burton Richard 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Fair, Friend 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Farnan, Harold John 18°, London, Ont.
Fellows, Howard 32°, Halifax, N.S.
Fisher, Herbert Francis 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Fisk, John Herbert 14°, Guelph, Ont.
Forbes, Ray Thompson 18°, Saint John, N.B.
Forbes, Robert Kincaid 32°, Brandon, Man.
Forbes, Robert Ross 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
Ford, Henry William 18°, Calgary, Alta.
Ford-Smith, Percy 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Forsyth, Robert Evan 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Fowler, Harold Edward 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Fowler, William Ross 18°, Windsor, Ont.
Fox, Clayton McNeil 14°, Barrie, Ont.
Franklyn, Joseph Mitchell 14°, Halifax, N.S.
Fraser, George Rendall 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Fraser, Grant 32°, Kingston, Ont.
French, Herbert George 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Frith, Gordon Deacon 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Fullerton, John Albert 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Gallagher, John Howard Wilson 32°, Fort William, Ont.
Gausden, Claude Evelyn 32°, Montreal, Que.
Geddes, Charles Richardson 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Getty, Joseph James 32°, Moose Jaw, Sask.
Giffen, John Craig 32°, Montreal, Que.
Gillespie, George Alexander 18°, Toronto, Ont.
Gillespie, John Ford 14°, Ottawa, Ont.
Gillespie, William 18°, Toronto, Ont.
Gillis, Clarence Carl 18°, Regina, Sask.
Gilmore, William Alfred 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Glenn, Duncan Alexander 18°, North Bay, Ont.
Goodram, Frederick 18°, Hamilton, Ont.
Gowland, Thomas Hoey 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Gray, George D. 14°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Gray, Herman Howard 18°, Hamilton, Ont.
Greenway, Edward Thornton 14°, Winnipeg, Man.
Guest, Gordon Launcelot 14°, Chatham, Ont.
Hadden, George Frederick 14°, Nelson, B.C.
Haggis, Ernest 32°, Saskatoon, Sask.

Hallam, William Thomas Thompson 32°, London, Ont.
Hamilton, Edgar Hill 32°, Halifax, N.S.
Hamlin, Robert Henry 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Hanley, William Henry 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
Hardison, Carson Clair 14°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Hare, Charles Edgar 18°, Toronto, Ont.
Harper, Joseph 14°, Ottawa, Ont.
Harrison, Duncan Robert 32°, Fort William, Ont.
Harrison, William 32°, Montreal, Que.
Haslam, Thomas Gordon 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Hawkins, Herbert Bruce 32°, Halifax, N.S.
Hayden, Charles Albert Samuel 18°, Edmonton, Alta.
Hayes, Delburn Ross 14°, North Bay, Ont.
Hearn, Thomas Bonny 18°, North Bay, Ont.
Heath, Victor Stanley 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Henley, Joseph Hulme 18°, Regina, Sask.
Henry, Harold Armine 32°, Barrie, Ont.
Herbert, Edward Roy 14°, North Bay, Ont.
Higgins, Fred Page 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Hindmarsh, Harry Comfort 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Hinman, Harlow Winfield 18°, Guelph, Ont.
Hobbs, James Lewis 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Hockenbury, Lloyd C. 14°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Holder, William George 14°, Ottawa, Ont.
Horwood, Edgar Lewis 32°, Ottawa, Ont.
Housley, Eric 14°, Victoria, B.C.
Howe, Harold T. 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Hughes, Dalton McCarthy 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Hughes, Thomas Arnold Langley 31°, Vancouver, B.C.
Humphreys, William Richard 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Hunter, John 18°, Chatham, Ont.
Inman, Thomas Herbert Everett 14°, Summerside, P.E.I.
Irish, Mont Zel 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Ironsides, Edwin Gardner 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Irving, James 32°, Ottawa, Ont.
Irwin, James Ferguson 18°, Brandon, Man.
Jackson, George Campbell 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Jaffray, Roy Mitchell 18°, Guelph, Ont.
Jamison, Arthur 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Jarrett, Fred Stephen 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Jaquith, Edward Hand 18°, Peterborough, Ont.
Jeffery, Walter Charles 32°, Regina, Sask.
Johansen, Jens Martin 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Johnson, Ralph Graham 14°, Halifax, N.S.
Johnston, John Edwin 32°, Kingston, Ont.
Johnstone, Bert 18°, Chatham, Ont.
Jones, Frederick James 32°, Peterborough, Ont.
Jones, George Henry 32°, Hamilton, Ont.

Jones, Harris Campbell 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Jones, Hudson Godfrey 14°, Victoria, B.C.
Kearns, Harold Lorne 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Kemp, George 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Kemp, Gordon Clark 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Kennedy, Angus Robertson 18°, Guelph, Ont.
Kennedy, Clarence Gordon 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Kennedy, Josias Alexander C. 14°, Vernon, B.C.
Ketcheson, Frederick Guelph 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Keyes, Herbert Casselman 18°, Guelph, Ont.
King, William Cameron 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Kinsman, Donald D. 14°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Knapp, Joseph Erastus 14°, London, Ont.
Knowles, Daniel Edward 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Korman, Harry 32°, London, Ont.
Kurtz, Floyd L. 14°, Vancouver, B.C.
Lackey, Lowell Walter Costello 18°, Lethbridge, Alta.
Lafferty, Heber Pembroke 32°, Kingston, Ont.
Laidlaw, Charles Albert Bower 32°, Saskatoon, Sask.
Lamb, John 32°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Larden, William 18°, North Bay, Ont.
Larsson, Adolph Gottfrid 32°, London, Ont.
Laverty, William Henry 18°, Fort William, Ont.
Leach, George Edwin 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Lee, Leroy Tempest 30°, Saint John, N.B.
Leeson, Lavell Hall 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Leith, John Alexander 32°, Saskatoon, Sask.
Lepard, Earl Ross 18°, Toronto, Ont.
Lett, Francis Neville 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Levene, Joseph Samuel 32°, Windsor, Ont.
Lewis, Percy Reginald 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Lewis, Thomas Neelin 14°, Ottawa, Ont.
Limerick, Harold F. 14°, Saint John, N.B.
Lincoln, Henry George 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Livermore, Henry Edward 32°, London, Ont.
Livingston, Hugh 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Lockley, Martin John 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Long, William Alfred 32°, Barrie, Ont.
Lough, Chauncey Kirby 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
Lovegrove, Bertie Charles 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Low, James 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Lowery, James Robert 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Lowey, Alexander McArthur 32°, Moose Jaw, Sask.
Lunn, Frederick 18°, Hamilton, Ont.
Lyttle, Robert 32°, Windsor, Ont.
MacCormack, Edward Valentine 18°, Guelph, Ont.
MacDonald, Edmund Luther 32°, Halifax, N.S.
MacDonald, Lockie 14°, Barrie, Ont.

MacDonald, William John 14°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
MacFadden, William Albert 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Mack, Louis 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
MacKay, John Finlay 32°, Regina, Sask.
MacKenzie, Walter Grant 4°, Summerside, P.E.I.
MacNames, Nelson Lehroy 14°, Toronto, Ont.
MacPherson, Archibald Richardson 14°, Halifax, N.S.
Madill, Elmer John 32°, Barrie, Ont.
Mahaney, Claude Francis 14°, Halifax, N.S.
Marshall, Joseph Paul 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Matthews, David Howard 32°, Ottawa, Ont.
Mathews, Herbert F. 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Mayhew, Robert McMeekin 32°, Windsor, Ont.
McAlpine, James McGilton 18°, Barrie, Ont.
McBride, Samuel 14°, Brandon, Man.
McBurney, George Egbert 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
McCann, James Edward 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
McConkey, Edward Blythe 18°, Barrie, Ont.
McDonald, Charles Campbell 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
McDonald, James Albert 14°, Nelson, B.C.
McEwen, Nelson Franklin 15°, Winnipeg, Man.
McFee, Hugh Larmour 14°, Ottawa, Ont.
McGhee, James Andrew 32°, Calgary, Alta.
McGlashon, Arthur Edward 32°, Kingston, Ont.
McIlroy, Charles Hamilton 18°, Hamilton, Ont.
McIntyre, Daniel Lorne 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
McKay, William Angus 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
McKee, William 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
McKeon, William Joseph 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
McKerrow, John Orren 32°, North Bay, Ont.
McLean, Arthur John 32°, Windsor, Ont.
McLennan, Arthur Peter 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
McLeod, Alexander Kenneth 14°, Fort William, Ont.
McNabb, Duncan H. 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Meadows, Charles John 18°, Brandon, Man.
Menken, Walter 18°, Hamilton, Ont.
Metcalf, Graham 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Mewburn, Sidney Chilton 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Meyers, George Edward Bennett 32°, Quebec, Que.
Miller, Henry S. 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Miller, Walter Tennant 18°, Toronto, Ont.
Milner, Joseph 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Moir, Percival Alexander 32°, Victoria, B.C.
Montgomery, George Edward 14°, Barrie, Ont.
Moore, Arthur James 18°, Hamilton, Ont.
Moore, Charles Pelham 32°, Regina, Sask.
Moore, Clarence 18°, Brandon, Man.
Morrison, Raleigh Cecil 18°, Ottawa, Ont.

Morrow, Oscar Leonard 32°, Peterborough, Ont.
Morton, John Pettigrew 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Munro, William Irwin 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Murdoch, Duncan Douglas 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Murray, Robert Ball 32°, Saskatoon, Sask.
Murray, Walter Moffatt 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
Myles, Leith Elbridge 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Naylor, Joseph 18°, Hamilton, Ont.
Neal, Harry Compton 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Nettleton, Thomas 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Newman, Edward Herbert 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Nichol, George Hammond 18°, London, Ont.
Northey, James Laird 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Oates, Thomas William 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Olds, William John 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Oram, Sidney James 18°, Hamilton, Ont.
Orr, David Erle 18°, Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.
Owen, Lemuel Cambridge 32°, Ottawa, Ont.
Owens, Walter Clark 14°, Saskatoon, Sask.
Oxley, Howard Campbell 32°, Halifax, N.S.
Palmer, Harry George 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Pare, Raymond Joseph 32°, Chatham, Ont.
Parlee, Thomas Babbitt 14°, Moncton, N.B.
Parry, John Roland 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Paterson, Edouard Albert 32°, Fort William, Ont.
Paton, Peter 14°, Barrie, Ont.
Patterson, Samuel Fleming 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Pattison, Duncan 14°, London, Ont.
Paulin, Frederick William 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Payne, James Hedley 14°, North Bay, Ont.
Pearson, John 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Phillips, Albert James 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Phillips, William Rupert 32°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Piper, Herbert Samuel Thomas 32°, Montreal, Que.
Piroth, Peter Henry 18°, Brandon, Man.
Plet, Frederick William 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
Porter, Archibald McMurphy 32°, Guelph, Ont.
Price, William 14°, Barrie, Ont.
Quee, Henderson 32°, Calgary, Alta.
Reason, William Henry James 18°, London, Ont.
Redmond, Athol Aitcheson 32°, Halifax, N.S.
Redpath, Charles Douglas 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Reeves, Arthur 14°, Vernon, B.C.
Reilly, James 18°, Windsor, Ont.
Reilly, William George 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Revercomb, Charles Edgar 14°, Victoria, B.C.
Richardson, Gilbert Franklin R. 14°, Barrie, Ont.
Riddell, Irwin Albert 18°, Barrie, Ont.

Robertson, Dennis Delos 14°, Guelph, Ont.
Roberts, Thomas Douglas 14°, Victoria, B.C.
Robertson, William 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Robinson, John Burwell 18°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Rogers, Charles Frederick Arthur 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Rollo, Alexander 14°, Vancouver, B.C.
Ross, Bruce Adamson 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Ross, Douglas Lamont 15°, Montreal, Que.
Ross, Franklin Winfred 18°, Peterborough, Ont.
Ross, James George 32°, Montreal, Que.
Ross, Thomas Edwin 14°, London, Ont.
Ross, Thomas Hambly 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Rowbottom, William Stanley 14°, Victoria, B.C.
Ruhnke, Gerald Nelson 14°, Guelph, Ont.
Russell, Lewis Charles 14°, Moncton, N.B.
St. Lawrence, Frederick Walton 14°, London, Ont.
Salton, Lynn Vincent 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Sanderson, Charles Rupert 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Sanderson, Harold John, Jr. 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Saul, Harry 32°, Regina, Sask.
Savage, Hugh George E. 18°, Victoria, B.C.
Scott, Edgar Thomas 32°, Fort William, Ont.
Seaton, Edward Thomas 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Sharpe, Frederick Gregory 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Shaw, James Alexander 18°, Halifax, N.S.
Shaw, John Crabbe 14°, Fort William, Ont.
Shaw, Wilfred Algernon 14°, London, Ont.
Shaw-MacLaren, Thomas David 18°, Vernon, B.C.
Shenton, William 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Sibbitt, John Sanderson 18°, Kingston, Ont.
Simcox, Arthur Lewis 32°, Quebec, Que.
Simons, Alfred Leroy 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Simpson, Edward Holmes 14°, Nelson, B.C.
Sinnett, Charles 32°, Halifax, N.S.
Skerrett, George Charles 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Slocomb, John Byron 32°, Halifax, N.S.
Smith, Edgar Hill 32°, Winnipeg, Man.
Smith, George Mowbray 18°, London, Ont.
Smith, Howard 32°, Moncton, N.B.
Smith, James Asahel 18°, North Bay, Ont.
Smith, Richard James 32°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Smith, William Ellsworth 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Solomon, Isaac A. 32°, Barrie, Ont.
Somerville, William Lawrence 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Southen, Percy Edwin 14°, London, Ont.
Sparling, Edwin Bruce 14°, Regina, Sask.
Speers, Austin Laverne 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Spencer, Lyon Bristol 32°, Hamilton, Ont.

Stallwood, Milford James 14°, Nelson, B.C.
Stephens, James Clyma 14°, Regina, Sask.
Stewart, David Elroy 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Stewart, Henry Isaac 14°, London, Ont.
Stewart, Herbert Duncan Reynard 32°, Calgary, Alta.
Stillman, William George 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Stinson, John James 32°, Fort William, Ont.
Storey, Charles Herbert 14°, Ottawa, Ont.
Storey, Wilfred Thomas 32°, Chatham, Ont.
Storms, Earle Howard 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Strong, Herbert Dolph 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Strong, Edmund Carmen 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Struthers, John 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Such, John Wilson 14°, London, Ont.
Sutherland, Charles Devlin 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
Swanson, Alfred Oliver 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Sweet, Rayburn Samuel 32°, Vancouver, B.C.
Swift, Herbert Edward 18°, Winnipeg, Man.
Sword, Colin Elliott 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Tanner, William Alfred 18°, London, Ont.
Thompson, Septimus 32°, London, Ont.
Thompson, Thomas Clifford 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Thomson, Peter Alfred 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Thompkins, George Henry 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Townsend, Clifton Neil 14°, Halifax, N.S.
Turnbull, William Calder 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Turvey, Harold Dean 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Vaughan, Harmon Byron 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Vokes, Frederick 32°, Kingston, Ont.
Walton, Horace Day 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Warne, Ray Hargreaves 18°, North Bay, Ont.
Watson, Frank 14°, Regina, Sask.
Watson, Franklin McCague 32°, Barrie, Ont.
Watt, Frederic 14°, Guelph, Ont.
Wagh, Thomas Frederick 32°, Regina, Sask.
Webb, George Egbertt 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Webb, Russell Thomas 18°, Barrie, Ont.
Webber, William Edward 32°, Edmonton, Alta.
Webster, Robert John 18°, London, Ont.
Wedderburn, David Shier 18°, Calgary, Alta.
Weekes, William George 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Weir, William Bertram 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Whipps, William Henry 18°, Barrie, Ont.
White, Herbert Stanley 18°, Toronto, Ont.
White, Norman Joseph 32°, Hamilton, Ont.
Wickens, William Kenworthy 14°, Fort William, Ont.
Wilkinson, James 14°, Hamilton, Ont.
Williams, Edward Charles 14°, Barrie, Ont.

Williams, William Henry 32°, Fort William, Ont.
Williamson, Arthur George 32°, Niagara Falls, Ont.
Winter, Lewis Alfred 14°, Toronto, Ont.
Wittett, Norman McGarvey 32°, Toronto, Ont.
Wood, Charles Merle 14°, Edmonton, Alta.
Wood, George Geddes 14°, Summerside, P.E.I.
Wood, Herbert Spencer 14°, Vancouver, B.C.
Wood, John Wesley 32°, Windsor, Ont.
Wood, Ronald 14°, Calgary, Alta.
Woodruff, Ernest 32°, London, Ont.
Woodside, John William 18°, Ottawa, Ont.
Worth, Edward 14°, Chatham, Ont.
Wright, George Clark, 18°, Kingston, Ont.
Young, Oliver Franklin 14°, Fort William, Ont.

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THOMAS DOUGLAS HARINGTON

Oct. 16, 1874, to Jan. 13, 1882
Died 13th January, 1882.

WILLIAM HENRY HUTTON

Jan. 13, 1882, to Oct. 21, 1886
Died 9th October, 1893.

JOHN VALENTINE ELLIS

Oct. 21, 1886, to Oct. 27, 1892
Died 10th July, 1913.

JOHN WALTER MURTON

Oct. 27, 1892, to Oct. 23, 1898
Died 23rd October, 1898.

ISAAC HENRY STEARNS

Oct. 26, 1898, to Oct. 27, 1904
Died 15th February, 1921.

SIR JOHN MORISON GIBSON

Oct. 27, 1904, to Oct. 23, 1913
Oct. 26, 1922, to Oct. 25, 1923
Died 3rd June, 1929.

BENJAMIN ALLEN

Oct. 23, 1913, to Oct. 23, 1919
Died 10th April, 1920.

JOHN ALEXANDER CAMERON

Oct. 23, 1919, to Oct. 26, 1922
Oct. 25, 1923, to Oct. 8, 1925
Died 16th Dec., 1931.

ALFRED FREDERICK WEBSTER

Oct. 8th, 1925, to Oct. 3rd, 1934
Died 7th May, 1938.

WILLIAM HUGH WARDROPE

Oct. 3rd, 1934, to Oct. 2nd, 1940
April 19th, 1942, to Oct. 7th, 1942.
Died 27th June, 1947.

JOHN ALBERT ROWLAND

Oct. 2nd, 1940, to April 18th, 1942
Died 18th April, 1942.

DOUGLAS GORDON MCILWRAITH

Oct. 7th, 1942, to Feb. 2nd, 1948
Died 2nd February, 1948.

GEORGE HENRY ROSS

Feb. 3rd, 1948, to Feb. 14th, 1950.
Died 14th February, 1950.

DOUGLAS FRASER

Feb. 15th, 1950, to Oct. 15th, 1952.

CLARENCE MACLEOD PITTS

Oct. 15th, 1952, to Sept. 21st, 1955.

THOMAS KINGSMILL WADE

Sept. 21st, 1955.

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Annual Sessions held at the following cities:

1874 — Ottawa	1914 — Toronto
1875 — Montreal	1915 — Ottawa
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1877 — "	1917 — London
1878 — "	1918 — Hamilton
1879 — "	1919 — Montreal
(special in March at Hamilton)	1920 — Hamilton
1880 — Montreal	1921 — Ottawa
1881 — "	1922 — Montreal
1882 — "	1923 — Toronto
1883 — "	(special at Hamilton)
1884 — "	1924 — Vancouver
1885 — Not held	1925 — Montreal
(special in April at Saint John)	1926 — Halifax
1886 — Montreal	1927 — Hamilton
(special in Nov. at Hamilton)	1928 — Montreal
1887 — Montreal	1929 — Edmonton
1888 — "	1930 — Toronto
1889 — "	1931 — Montreal
1890 — Hamilton	1932 — Saint John
1891 — Saint John	1933 — Ottawa
1892 — Montreal	1934 — Montreal
1893 — "	1935 — Vancouver
1894 — Toronto	1936 — London
1895 — Montreal	1937 — Montreal
1896 — Ottawa	1938 — Halifax
1897 — Montreal	1939 — Fort William
1898 — "	1940 — Montreal
1899 — Saint John	1941 — Regina
1900 — Toronto	1942 — Hamilton
1901 — Montreal	1943 — Montreal
1902 — "	1944 — Windsor
1903 — Toronto	1945 — Hamilton (93)
1904 — Montreal	1946 — Quebec (111) (67)
1905 — Ottawa	1947 — Calgary (111) (73)
1906 — London	1948 — London (158) (100)
1907 — Montreal	1949 — Saint John (150) (101)
1908 — "	1950 — Ottawa (189) (119)
1909 — Toronto	1951 — Winnipeg (176) (118)
1910 — Montreal	1952 — N. Falls (230) (146)
1911 — Winnipeg	1953 — Montreal (201) (147)
1912 — Hamilton	1954 — Toronto (243) (197)
1913 — Montreal	1955 — Vancouver (184) (146)
	1956 — Hamilton (244) (199)
	1957 — Halifax (200) (159)

The figures in brackets indicate the attendance of Brethren and their ladies.

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for the

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 Clarence McN. Steeves, Ill. . Deputy for New Brunswick
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 Island and Newfoundland.
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 D. A. Roy McCannel, Ill. . Deputy for Saskatchewan
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 Frank A. Copus, Ill. . Grand Prior
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DOUGLAS FRASER

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SOVEREIGN GRAND INSPECTORS-GENERAL, 33°

	Date of 33rd Degree	Date of Active Membership
Charles Stanton Hamilton, Suite 930, 25 King St. W., Toronto 1, Ontario	Oct. 24, 1923.....	Sept. 4, 1935
Frank Armitage Copus, 681—4th Ave. W., Owen Sound, Ontario	Oct. 1, 1924.....	Sept. 4, 1935
Charles Laurie Ells, P.O. Box 770, Kentville, N.S.	Oct. 4, 1932.....	Oct. 2, 1940
Douglas Fraser, B.A., (Oxon.), Q.C., 93 Leopold Crescent, Regina, Sask.	Oct. 6, 1931.....	Oct. 2, 1940
Thomas Kingsmill Wade, O.B.E., 88 Richmond St. West, Toronto 1, Ontario	Oct. 4, 1932.....	Oct. 8, 1941
Stuart Harman Lees, 47 Main St. East, Hamilton, Ontario	Oct. 2, 1934.....	Oct. 8, 1941
Reginald Francis Wright, Box 129, Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 4, 1932.....	Oct. 8, 1941
James Alexander Simpson, M.D., 206 James Street South, Hamilton, Ontario	Oct. 2, 1934.....	Oct. 7, 1942
Howard Brown Moore, 145 Yonge St., Toronto, Ontario	Oct. 2, 1934.....	Oct. 7, 1942
Clarence MacLeod Pitts, B.Sc., P.O. Box 374, Ottawa, Ontario	Oct. 1, 1940.....	Oct. 7, 1942
Arthur Cross, C.A., 8 Richelieu Place, Montreal, Quebec	Oct. 6, 1936.....	Oct. 6, 1943
G. Fred Kingsmill, M.B.E., B.S.A., 130 Dundas St., London, Ontario	Sept. 12, 1939.....	Oct. 6, 1943

	Date of 33rd Degree	Date of Active Membership
Hugh Macdonald Dunlop, M.C., Sulphur Springs Road, Ancaster, Ontario	Oct. 4, 1938.....	Oct. 3, 1944
Charles Herbert Cunningham, C.E., B.A.Sc., P. O. Box 429, Hamilton, Ontario	Oct. 1, 1940.....	Oct. 2, 1946
William David Lawrence, Q.C., 304 Lindsay Bldg., Winnipeg, Manitoba	Oct. 1, 1945.....	Sept. 10, 1947
Richard Coulton Berkinshaw, C.B.E., B.A., LL.D., 315 Vesta Drive, Toronto, Ontario	Oct. 6, 1942.....	Oct. 6, 1948
John Robert Charles Evans, B.A., Ph.D., LL.D., Brandon College, Brandon, Manitoba	Oct. 3, 1933.....	Sept. 14, 1949
Reginald William Louthood, 1559 St. Mark Street, Montreal 25, Quebec	Sept. 9, 1947.....	Sept. 14, 1949
Howard Burton Macdonald, 624, 7th Ave. West, Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 9, 1947.....	Sept. 14, 1949
George Cleveland Derby, O.B.E., B.A., 2123 West 37th Ave., Vancouver 13, B.C.	Oct. 5, 1937.....	Oct. 4, 1950
Clarence McNaughton Steeves, B.A.I., M.Sc., LL.D., 163 King St. East, Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 1, 1946.....	Oct. 4, 1950
Alexander George Storie, 447 Simcoe St. North, Oshawa, Ont	Oct. 2, 1934.....	Oct. 4, 1950
Ernest Burdette Thompson, P. O. Box 429, Hamilton, Ontario	Oct. 7, 1941.....	Oct. 4, 1950
William Addison Henry, B.A., M.D., C.M., Lacombe, Alberta	Oct. 14, 1952.....	Sept. 16, 1953
Donald Alexander Roy McCannel, B.Sc., 2708 Quinn Drive, Regina, Sask.	Oct. 1, 1946.....	Sept. 16, 1953

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	Date of 33rd Degree	Date of Active Membership
Carroll Nelson Simpson, B.A.Sc., 205 Carling Avenue, Ottawa, Ontario	Sept. 13, 1949.....	Sept. 17, 1953
James McLean Marshall, 239 Kindersley Ave., Mount Royal, Montreal 16, Que.	Sept. 9, 1947.....	Oct. 6, 1954
Robert Barclay Pow, 322 Catherine St., Fort William, Ontario	Sept. 13, 1929.....	Sept. 21, 1955
Albert Edward Fowles, 23 Marlborough Ave., Halifax, Nova Scotia	Oct. 3, 1950.....	Sept. 13, 1956
John Rudd Rumball, M.A., Q.C., 100 Alexandra Blvd., Toronto, Ontario	Oct. 14, 1952.....	Sept. 13, 1956
Robert Alexander Burnie Wootton, 1255 Victoria Street, Victoria, B.C.	Oct. 14, 1952.....	Sept. 12, 1957

PAST ACTIVE MEMBERS

	Date of 33rd Degree	Date of Active Membership
Charles Fenson Sanford, Q.C., 40 Orange Street, Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 4, 1927.....	Oct. 7, 1936
William Carey Ditmars, Room 307, 744 West Hastings St., Vancouver 1, B.C.	Oct. 22, 1913.....	Oct. 3, 1944
James Henry Winfield P. O. Box 201, Chester, Nova Scotia	Oct. 22, 1913.....	Oct. 25, 1917
Lewis Frederick Riggs, D.D.S., 51 Belmont St., Toronto, Ontario	Oct. 25, 1911.....	Jan. 23, 1918
Francis James Burd, C.B.E., "Vancouver Province", Vancouver, British Columbia	Oct. 22, 1913.....	Oct. 2, 1934
Reginald Vanderbilt Harris, M.A., D.C.L., Q.C., P. O. Box 214, Halifax, Nova Scotia	Oct. 4, 1932.....	Oct. 6, 1954

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ALBERTA

Bannon, Samuel George	Lord, Goldwin Smith
Blackie, Alexander Stuart	Macleod, Charles Malcolm
Booth, John	McIntyre, Morton Aylesworth
Bradley, Russell John	Mitchell, Ernest Harold
Christie, Ryerson Meyers	Paterson, Frank Walker
Cromie, George	Pattison, Wesley Wintersteen
Empey, Waldo Ford	Peel, William Melville
Follett, Joseph Vincent	Reid, Horace Philip
Harper, William Henderson	Skene, George Wilbert
Harris, Samuel	Smith, Oliver Colville
Howard, Harry Eastwood	Tharp, Ernest Stanley
Jackson, William Haine	Thomson, Richard Garfield
Kavanagh, Frederick James	Wilson, William Ralph
Little, David	

BRITISH COLUMBIA

Adams, Beverley Mitchell	McDougall, Elwin George
Borden, Lorris Elijah	Megaw, William Earle
Caldwell, William Harvey	Moffitt, John St. Clair Crymble
Cassady, George Livingstone	Murray, Charles Walter
Coutts, Andrew	Stewart, John Rupert
Harrison, Harry Douglas	Tyre, William
Lefevre, Bernard Edward	Unsworth, William Preston Clark
MacKinnon, George Ernest Lawson	Walker, Walter Mitchell

MANITOBA

Adams, Alexander	Kerr, Hugh Murdoch
Argue, Robert Fletcher	Mackie, William Alexander
Bingeman, Milton Hallman	Martin, William George
Blythe, Frederick Harold	McDonald, Walter Clifton
Courtice, Frederick Clayton	McKinlay, James Duncan
Cowan, Andrew George	Prugh, William Albert
Donovan, Maurice Stanton	Reid, James Robert
Douglas, William	Sanger, John William
Gardiner, Arthur Bertram	Spearin, Charles Hartwell
Graham, William Paul	Stewart, Gordon Murray
Grant, James Carson	Tennant, Ernest Robert
Guest, Spencer Cox	Wilson, George Allan
Hall, Norman Macleod	

NEW BRUNSWICK

Britton, Harry Earle
 Burns, Andrew Boyd
 Duncan, James William
 Hoyt, James Stanley
 Ingraham, George Barlow
 Lemmon, Albert Colburn
 Maxwell, Warren James

Morrison, Luke Stewart
 Nelson, Kenneth Roberts
 Pickard, Harold Hastings
 Robinson, Arthur Sagar
 Ryder, Frank Arnold
 Somerville, Donald Andrew

NOVA SCOTIA AND PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND

Avard, Norman Thompson
 Chappell, Melbourne Russell
 Clancy, Clyde Sinclair
 Crease, Archibald
 Dawson, Thomas Arthur
 Gardner, Melbourne Morton
 Jubien, Clifford Flohr
 Macgillivray, Henry Darroch
 MacKay, Alexander Murray

MacKinnon, Laughlin Mabon
 Moore, John Alexander Campbell
 Rankin, Robert James
 Ryder, Walter Earl
 Savage, Vivian Hewton Albert
 Sieniewicz, Thaddeus Mark
 Torey, Clifford Lewis
 Van Iderstine, Frank Albert
 Vincent, Earl Johnstone

QUEBEC

Atkinson, Bernard Veysey
 Boyd, Leslie Hale
 Buckland, Joseph Wellington
 Campbell, Malcolm Arthur
 Davis, Harry Norman
 Hobbs, William Henry
 Hurry, Alexander

Retallack, Garnet Shuter Lane
 Rowat, Joseph
 Simpson, Guy Francis
 Spence, John Henry
 Vallieres, Henry Arthur
 Witter, Donald Lloyd

SASKATCHEWAN

Bruce, Frederick Charles Henry
 Campkin, Wilbert Lee
 Carrothers, Ashton Dewart Cecil
 Crandon, Charles Howland
 Gass, James Alden
 Holmes, Leroy
 Irving, Alexander Jones
 Kearney, Thomas William
 Lackey, James Albert Bond
 MacKenzie, John Alexander
 Maxwell, Hilliard Scott
 McIntosh, Alexander Lindsay
 Moffet, Thomas Henry

Patterson, Cecil Frederick
 Peacock, Albert Everett
 Robertson, Victor Lawrence
 Rutherford, Henry Adelbert
 Scott, Walter Barrett
 Schmitt, Cecil Gilbert
 Smith, Norman Sydney
 Tate, William Bradshaw
 Thornton, Louis Augustus
 Weaver, Lincoln Ellis
 Williams, Frederick Basford
 Williamson, Frank Albert Wilbur
 Woods, Adna Clifton

ONTARIO

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Allison, Cyrus James	Crockard, James Holmes
Anguish, John	Crouch, Stanley Stuart
Auld, Clarence Armstrong	Cuddie, John Harold
Bailey, Cecil Addison	Cumming, Walter Elwood
Ballantyne, Charles James Ripley	Cunningham, John
Ballstadt, Herman Albert F.	Curzon, Joseph
Batsford, Herbert Alfred	Darker, Frederick Murray
Bell, Clarence Bruce	Deedman, Henry John Hugh
Belsham, Frederick Edward	Dent, Cecil Morden
Bennetto, Frederick Royden	Dewart, John Alexander
Blair, Willard Gibson	Dillon, Ernest Macaulay
Blake, George Ernest	Dixon, Ewart Gladstone
Bobier, Shirley Trivitt	Dobson, Herbert Victor
Bovair, Zalmon Louis Hall	Donald, Charles Davidson
Boyle, Charles Joseph	Downey, David Frederick Roscoe
Bradley, Walter Jenkins	Dunlop, William James
Bray, Charles Andrew	Dunlop, Wilson Earl
Brisco, Ernst Clayton	Eaid, Charles Roy
Britton, George Tyte	Eakin, Thomas
Broadbent, James Travice	Easton, Beverly Everitt
Broughall, Lewis Wilmot Bovell	Ellison, Frederick J.
Browne, Carl Sanford	Emery, George James
Browne, James Cameron	Evans, Joseph Austin
Bunker, William Gordon	Felt, Albert Howard
Burch, Charles George	Field, William
Burke, George Henry	Fleming, Donald Methuen
Burns, Matthew Henry	Forbes, John Herbert
Burrows, Earle Stanley	Forbes, William Charles
Byrne, Norman Warriner	Foster, Bruce Brown
Cairney, Hugh Moir	Francis, Joseph Edward
Call, Ernest Jones	French, Charles Garfield
Callaghan, John Clinton	Fulton, Alexander Mackenzie
Cameron, George Oliver	Gardner, Edwin Alexander
Campbell, Casius Elmer	George, James Trevethan
Campbell, Percy Gerald Cadogan	Gibson, Walter Hodgins
Carlisle, Gordon Douglas	Goering, Albert Philippe Louis
Chapman, Arthur Vance	Gordon, Willard Meredith
Chittick, Charles Leslie	Graham, Arthur Russell
Conger, Karl Bidwell	Graham, Samuel Jethro
Conover, Reginald VanEvery	Grant, George Alfred
Cooke, Hugh George	Green, George Thomas
Coombs, Archdale Stephenson	Grinyer, George Frederick
Crandall, Roy Carleton	Hamilton, James Watts

Hamilton, Thomas David Clark	MacQuarrie, Archibald Henry
Harding, Elvin Lewis	Macdonald, George Alexander
Hart, Nelson Collins	Maher, James Patterson
Haviland, Arthur Richard	Martin, Charles Frederick
Hearn, Joseph Alonzo	Martin, George Alexander
Hedges, William Henry	Martyn, Harry Laishley
Henderson, Frederick Lewis	Matheson, Alexander MacKenzie
Higginbottom, Charles Edward	McCann, Thomas
Hill, Cecil James	McCleery, Edward Jenner
Holbrook, John Howard	McConnell, Yorke
Hunter, George Edward Morrison	McCormack, Wm. John Angus
Hurdman, Albert Frederick	McCulloch, Harvey Frank
Jackson, Herbert Busby	McFadden, Robert William Ernest
Jacob, George Edwin Adolph	McFarlane, Alfred Irwin
Jannati, Abdeali Sherefali	McIntosh, Charles Roy
Jannison, Percival Stanley	McIntyre, Duncan
Jessup, Ray Rusk	McKee, Alexander Hamilton
Johnston, Harry Sinclair	McLaughlin, Leslie Ferguson
Jones, William Alfred	McRae, John Alexander
Kennedy, Duncan Roy	Meisner, Leslie Frederick
Kennedy, William Alexander	Melvin, John Patrick
Kenny, Charles Elmer	Messer, William McKenzie
Kent, James Palmer	Millard, Frank Avery
Kent, John Hubert	Milne, Frederick
Kidd, James Harold	Minchinton, Harry
Kidd, Thomas Ashmore	Moffatt, John Melvin
King, Herman Samuel	Moore, John Henry
King, Oscar Heuman	Moors, Clarence Herbert
Kipp, William Harry	Morley, Wilfred Eades
Lamble, Burnett Charles	Muir, William David
Landell, Charles Dalhousie	Murray, Alexander Clark
Lang, Robert Howard	Ness, James Hanna
Lawson, Frank	Newman, William Frederick
Lee, Percival John	Nott, Benjamin Foss
Lees, Ralph Wilkinson	Orr, Robinson T.
Lees, Thomas	Overend, Walter Trevor
Lees, Thomas Jack	Palmer, Alfred Thomas Merton
Linklater, George Harvey	Parker, Wesley Ross
Lohead, William Merton Overton	Parkinson, Harry Simcoe
Love, Thomas Waggstaff	Patmore, DeForest Charles
Lumsden, Arthur D	Patterson, Bryson Clark
MacFarland, John Wilfrid	Porteous, Rae Ronald
MacGregor, Arthur Emerson	Purvis, Maxwell Cline
MacKay, Kenneth	Rae, Kenneth McBeth
MacKewn, Charles Frederick	Rankin, Joseph

Rath, William Henry
 Reany, George James Alexander
 Reid, John Charles
 Renison, Robert John
 Riddell, John Ewen
 Riddell, Willard Bruce
 Robertson, Norman Roy
 Rollo, Alexander Martin
 Ross, Thomas Robert
 Rudell, Matthew John
 Rutherford, Ralph Hamilton
 Ryerson, George Herbert
 Sankey, Charles Alfred
 Seace, Arthur Lawrence
 Seace, William Bickell
 Scythes, Edwin Campbell
 Scythes, John Ardagh
 Simpson, Thomas Hamilton
 Sinclair, Peter Alexander
 Sinfield, Harry Beardsmore
 Smith, Harold Clifton
 Smith, Kenneth Roland
 Smith, Samuel Stanley
 Smith, Warren LaVerne
 Sprules, Francis William
 Stanton, Robert Moore
 Stephens, George James Russell

Stewart, James Leslie
 Strachan, William James
 Sudden, Stanley Clifford
 Sulman, Charles Douglas
 Swann, Leslie Warren
 Swinton, Robert
 Tichborne, Thomas Grover C.
 Trebell, James Vivian
 Urquhart, Norman Currie
 Vandrick, Joseph Frederick
 Vila, Francis
 Vila, Samuel
 Waddell, John Albert
 Waite, Charles Bertram
 Walsh, Stanley Young
 Welby, Wilbert George
 Wellington, Howard Russell
 Wheable, Geoffrey Alfred
 Whytock, Arthur Beaton
 Wight, Cecil Douglas
 Williams, Frank Smith
 Williamson, Andrew Embury
 Winters, James Sidney
 Wright, William Lockridge
 Young, William Harold
 Younge, James Watson

HONORARY MEMBERS AT LARGE

At Large By Virtue of Article 16

Banks, Thomas Herbert
 Broderick, Christopher John
 Coleman, Arthur Edmund
 Ewart, McLaren
 Johnston, Harold Edward
 Martland, John

Matheson, Alexander Dawson
 McIntosh, John
 Moffat, Lindsay Clifton
 Parker, Elbridge Doty
 Sanderson, David Gordon Percy
 Scott, Harold Bruce

At Large By Virtue of Article 17

MacLaren, David Laurence
 Paterson, Norman McLeod

Martin, William Melville

HONORARY INSPECTORS-GENERAL, 33°

Name	Residence	Received 33°
William Bickell Scace.....	Brantford, Ont.	Oct. 26, 1921
Edward Jenner McCleery.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 26, 1921
William Bradshaw Tate.....	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 26, 1921
Walter Elwood Cumming.....	Parry Sound, Ont.	Oct. 24, 1923
Percival John Lee.....	Detroit, Mich.	Oct. 24, 1923
Alexander Hamilton McKee, B.A.	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1924
DeForest Charles Patmore.....	Orillia, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1924
Robinson T. Orr.....	London, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1924
Horace Philip Reid.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 1, 1924
Herman Samuel King.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Percy Gerald Cadogan		
Campbell, M.A., LL.D.	Kingston, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Joseph Austin Evans, M.D.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Albert Philippe Louis Goering.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Frederick Royden Bennetto, M.D.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Wm. Merton Overton Lohead, M.A.	Kitchener, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1925
Charles Howland Crandon.....	Saskatoon, Sask.	Oct. 4, 1927
Hon. William Melville Martin,		
B.A., LL.D., Q.C.	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 2, 1928
John Alexander McRae,		
M.A., Ph.D., LL.D.	Kingston, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1928
Samuel Vila	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1929
Elliott Cedric Alvin Crawford, M.D., C.M. Madoc, Ont.		Sept. 13, 1929
Oscar Heuman King, B.A., LL.B.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1930
Frank Avery Millard, M.D.	Windsor, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1931
Rev. Malcolm Arthur Campbell, D.D.	Montreal, Que.	Oct. 6, 1931
McLaren Ewart, B.Sc.	Medicine Hat, Alta., ..	Oct. 6, 1931
Rev. Charles Elmer Kenny, B.A., D.D.	Guelph, Ont.	Oct. 4, 1932
Benjamin Foss Nott, D.D.S.	North Bay, Ont.	Oct. 4, 1932
Laughlin Mabon MacKinnon.....	Montague, P.E.I.	Oct. 3, 1933
Karl Bidwell Conger.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 2, 1934
Rt. Rev. Lewis Wilmot Bovell		
Broughall, M.A., D.D., LL.D.	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 3, 1935
William Henry Hedges.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1936
Rev. Alexander Dawson Matheson,		
M.A., D.D.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1936
William Henry Rath.....	London, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1936
Thomas Lees.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1937
William Field.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1937
Arthur Beaton Whytock, B.A.,		
M.D., M.R.C.S. (Eng.), F.A.C.S.	Niagara Falls, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1937

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Arthur D. Lumsden.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 4, 1938
John Ewen Riddell.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 4, 1938
Edwin Campbell Seythes.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 4, 1938
Cecil Morden Dent.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 12, 1939
Francis William Sprules.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 12, 1939
William McKenzie Messer.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 12, 1939
Alexander Hurry.....	Westmount, Que.	Sept. 12, 1939
Andrew George Cowan.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 12, 1939
Rev. Robert Fletcher Argue, M.A.	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 12, 1939
William Melville Peel.....	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 12, 1939
William Ralph Wilson.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 12, 1939
William James Dunlop, B.A., B.Paed, LL.D.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1940
Arthur Russell Graham.....	Niagara Falls, Ont. ..	Oct. 1, 1940
Lorris Elijah Borden, M.D.	Nelson, B.C.	Oct. 1, 1940
George Livingstone Cassady, Q.C.	New Westminster	Oct. 7, 1941
George James Russell Stephens.....	Guelph, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1941
Harry Minchinton	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1941
Archibald H. MacQuarrie, C.E., B.A.Sc.	Windsor, Ont.	Oct. 7, 1941
Harold Edward Johnston, D.D.S.	Calgary, Alta.	Oct. 7, 1941
Walter Barrett Scott, B.A., Q.C.	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 7, 1941
John Harold Cuddie.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1942
James Watts Hamilton.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 6, 1942
Henry Adelbert Rutherford, Q.C.	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 5, 1943
Luke Stewart Morrison.....	Fredericton, N.B.	Oct. 5, 1943
Joseph Rowat.....	Westmount, Que.	Oct. 5, 1943
Robert Moore Stanton.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1943
Rev. William Harold Young, M.A., D.D. ..	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1943
Stanley Stuart Crouch, D.D.S.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1943
Harry J. Allen.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1943
Nelson Collins Hart, M.A.	London, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1943
James Harold Kidd.....	Burrith's Rapids, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1944
Henry John Hugh Deedman.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1944
Charles Douglas Sulman.....	Chatham, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1944
Frederick Lewis Henderson, V.D.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1944
George Ernest Lawson MacKinnon, M.D.	Cranbrook, B.C.	Oct. 3, 1944
William Preston Clark Unsworth.....	Victoria, B.C.	Oct. 3, 1944
Alexander Jones Irving.....	Saskatoon, Sask.	Oct. 3, 1944
Christopher John Broderick.....	Portland, Ore.	Oct. 3, 1944
Ernest Macaulay Dillon, Q.C.	Cooksville, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945
David Frederick Roscoe Downey, B.A., B.Paed.	Peterborough, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945
Charles George Burch.....	St. Catharines, Ont. ..	Oct. 1, 1945
Charles Edward Higginbottom, F.C.I.S.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945
Francis Vila.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945

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Robert Howard Lang.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945
George Thomas Green.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945
Roy Carleton Crandall.....	Tillsonburg, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945
Joseph Edward Francis.....	Thornhill, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1945
William Henry Hobbs.....	Montreal, Que.	Oct. 1, 1945
James Stanley Hoyt.....	Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 1, 1945
Clifford Lewis Torey.....	Halifax, N.S.	Oct. 1, 1945
Clifford Flohr Jubien.....	Halifax, N.S.	Oct. 1, 1945
John Martland, LL.B., F.R.A.I.C.	Victoria, B.C.	Oct. 1, 1945
George Tyte Britton.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
John Henry Moore.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
Robert William Ernest McFadden, M.A. B.Sc., B.Paed.	Brantford, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
Abdeali Sherefali Jannati, B.A.Sc.	Niagara Falls, Ont. ..	Oct. 1, 1946
Charles Alfred Sankey, M.Sc., Ph.D.	St. Catharines, Ont. ..	Oct. 1, 1946
Norman Roy Robertson, B.A.Sc., Q.C.	Walkerton, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
Rev. Thomas Eakin, M.A., Ph.D., D.D. ..	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
James Vivian Trebell.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
Joseph Rankin.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
Charles Andrew Bray.....	Riverside, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
George Alexander Macdonald.....	Peterborough, Ont.	Oct. 1, 1946
David Gordon Percy Sanderson.....	Victoria, B.C.	Oct. 1, 1946
Thomas Henry Moffet, C.A.	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 1, 1946
James Duncan McKinlay.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 1, 1946
Charles Hartwell Spearin.....	Brandon, Man.	Oct. 1, 1946
Andrew Boyd Burns.....	Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 1, 1946
Elbridge Doty Parker, M.A.	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 9, 1947
William Earle Megaw.....	Vernon, B.C.	Sept. 9, 1947
Andrew Coutts.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 9, 1947
Charles Roy Eaid, Phm.B.	S. Ste. Marie, Ont. ..	Sept. 9, 1947
John Charles Reid.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
Walter Jenkins Bradley.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
Ernest Jones Call.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
John Hubert Kent.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
Charles Dalhousie Landell.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
George Alexander Martin.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
Leslie Ferguson McLaughlin.....	Oshawa, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
Thomas Ashmore Kidd.....	Kingston, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
William James Strachan.....	Fort William, Ont. ..	Sept. 9, 1947
Alexander Mackenzie Fulton, B.A., Q.C.	Lindsay, Ont.	Sept. 9, 1947
Frank Albert Wilbur Williamson.....	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 9, 1947
Alexander Lindsay McIntosh.....	Moose Jaw, Sask.	Sept. 9, 1947
Leroy Holmes	Saskatoon, Sask.	Sept. 9, 1947
Rev. Arthur Edmund Coleman.....	Quebec, Que.	Sept. 9, 1947

Name	Residence	Received 33°
Cyrus James Allison.....	Barrie, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Wilson Earl Dunlop.....	Dundas, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Charles Garfield French, B.A., LL.B., Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
James Hamilton Gibson.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
George Edward Morrison Hunter.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Yorke McConnell	Aylmer, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Frederick Milne.....	North Bay, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
M. Rev. Robert John Renison, M.A., D.D.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Willard Bruce Riddell.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Norman Currie Urquhart, C.B.E.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Stanley Young Walsh, M.D.	Peterborough, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1948
Leslie Hale Boyd, Q.C.	Montreal, Que.	Oct. 5, 1948
Albert Colburn Lemmon	Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 5, 1948
Frank Arnold Ryder.....	Moncton, N.B.	Oct. 5, 1948
Archibald Crease.....	Halifax, N.S.	Oct. 5, 1948
Archdeacon Walter Earl Ryder.....	Dartmouth, N.S.	Oct. 5, 1948
Arthur Bertram Gardiner.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 5, 1948
Hugh Murdoch Kerr.....	Brandon, Man.	Oct. 5, 1948
William Alexander Mackie.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 5, 1948
George Cromie.....	Calgary, Alta.	Oct. 5, 1948
George Wilbert Skene, B.A., Q.C.	Calgary, Alta.	Oct. 5, 1948
Ernest Stanley Tharp	Calgary, Alta.	Oct. 5, 1948
Ashton Dewart Cecil Carrothers, Q.C.	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 5, 1948
Shirley Trivitt Bobier.....	Guelph, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
William Gordon Bunker.....	Oshawa, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
Charles Leslie Chittick.....	Barrie, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
Reginald VanEvery Conover.....	Brampton, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
William Harry Kipp.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
Arthur Emerson MacGregor, B.A.Sc.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
James Patterson Maher.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
William Frederick Newman.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
Matthew John Rudell, D.D.S.	Guelph, Ont.	Sept. 13, 1949
Charles Bertram Waite, M.D.	Peterborough, Ont. ..	Sept. 13, 1949
Guy Francis Simpson, B.A.	Quebec, Que.	Sept. 13, 1949
Earl Johnstone Vincent.....	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 13, 1949
Walter Mitchell Walker.....	Victoria, B.C.	Sept. 13, 1949
Waldo Ford Empey.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 13, 1949
Clarence Armstrong Auld.....	Fort William, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Carl Stanford Browne.....	Peterborough, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
John Cunningham.....	Guelph, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Joseph Curzon	Guelph, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Cecil James Hill.....	London, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Albert Frederick Hurdman.....	Mattawa, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Herbert Busby Jackson.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950

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Name	Residence	Received 33°
Ray Rusk Jessup.....	Sudbury, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
William Alexander Kennedy.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Frank Lawson.....	London, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Clarence Herbert Moors.....	Fort William, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Bryson Clark Patterson, M.D.	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Thomas Hamilton Simpson, B.A., Q.C.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
John Albert Waddell.....	Brantford, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Wilbert George Welby, B.A., Q.C.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Cecil Douglas Wight.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 3, 1950
Hon. David Laurence MacLaren	Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 3, 1950
Norman Thompson Avar, B.A., LL.D. ..	Amherst, N.S.	Oct. 3, 1950
William Douglas.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 3, 1950
Norman Macleod Hall, O.B.E., B.Sc.	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 3, 1950
John William Sanger.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 3, 1950
Morton Aylesworth McIntyre, D.D.S.	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 3, 1950
Oliver Colville Smith.....	Calgary, Alta.	Oct. 3, 1950
Frederick Charles Henry Bruce.....	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 3, 1950
Thomas William Kearney.....	Moose Jaw, Sask.	Oct. 3, 1950
Cecil Gilbert Schmitt, LL.B., Q.C.	Saskatoon, Sask.	Oct. 3, 1950
James Travece Broadbent.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
George Henry Burke.....	Port Arthur, Ont. ..	Sept. 11, 1951
Matthew Henry Burns.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
George Oliver Cameron	Barrie, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
James Holmes Crockard.....	Sarnia, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Frederick Murray Darker.....	Niagara Falls, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Percival Stanley Jannison	S. Ste. Marie, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Harry Sinclair Johnston.....	Lindsay, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Harry Laishley Martyn, B.A., B.Paed. ...	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Leslie Frederick Meisner.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
James Hanna Ness.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
John Ardagh Scythes.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Leslie Warren Swann.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Robert Swinton	Orillia, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1951
Bernard Veysey Atkinson.....	Montreal, Que.	Sept. 11, 1951
Alexander Murray MacKay.....	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 11, 1951
William Paul Graham.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 11, 1951
James Carson Grant.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 11, 1951
James Robert Reid, B.A.	Brandon, Man.	Sept. 11, 1951
Harry Eastwood Howard, F.C.A.	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 11, 1951
Frederick James Kavanagh	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 11, 1951
Richard Garfield Thomson	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 11, 1951
James Albert Bond Lackey, Phm.B.	Estevan, Sask.	Sept. 11, 1951
Albert Everett Peacock, B.Sc., B.Paed.	Moose Jaw, Sask. ..	Sept. 11, 1951
Louis Augustus Thornton, B.A., B.Sc.	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 11, 1951

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Frederick Basford Williams.....	Saskatoon, Sask.	Sept. 11, 1951
Thomas Herbert Banks	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Herbert Alfred Batsford	Sturgeon Falls, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Clarence Bruce Bell	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Milton Hallman Bingeman	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 14, 1952
John Booth	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 14, 1952
Ernst Clayton Brisco	Chatham, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Casius Elmer Campbell.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Harry Norman Davis	Montreal, Que.	Oct. 14, 1952
Ewart Gladstone Dixon, M.C., B.A., Q.C.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
John Ferguson	Belmont, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Samuel Jethro Graham, D.D.S.	Peterborough, Ont. ..	Oct. 14, 1952
Duncan Roy Kennedy, Q.C.	Ottawa, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Goldwin Smith Lord, M.A., LL.D.	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 14, 1952
Thomas McCann	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Alfred Irwin McFarlane.....	Port Arthur, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
John Alexander MacKenzie	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 14, 1952
Charles Frederick Martin	Walkerville, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Rev. William George Martin, D.D.	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 14, 1952
Walter Trevor Overend	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Harry Simcoe Parkinson, Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Harold Hastings Pickard	Fredericton, N.B.	Oct. 14, 1952
Kenneth McBeth Rae	Kingsville, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
George James Alexander Reany	Aldershot, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Arthur Sagar Robinson, M.A., LL.D.	Moncton, N.B.	Oct. 14, 1952
Harold Bruce Scott	Red Deer, Alta.	Oct. 14, 1952
Harry Beardsmore Sinfield	Fort William, Ont. ..	Oct. 14, 1952
Harold Clifton Smith	North Bay, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
Kenneth Roland Smith.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 14, 1952
William Tyre	Vancouver, B.C.	Oct. 14, 1952
Lincoln Ellis Weaver	Regina, Sask.	Oct. 14, 1952
Rt. Rev. Wm. Lockridge		
Wright, D.D., D.C.L.	S. Ste. Marie, Ont. ..	Oct. 14, 1952
John Anguish.....	Simcoe, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Charles Joseph Boyle.....	Fort William, Ont. ..	Sept. 15, 1953
Russell John Bradley.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 15, 1953
James Cameron Browne.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Joseph Wellington Buckland.....	Montreal, Que.	Sept. 15, 1953
Frederick J Ellison.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
George James Emery.....	Niagara Falls, Ont. ..	Sept. 15, 1953
Joseph Vincent Follett, M.D.	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 15, 1953
James Trevethan George.....	Port Hope, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
George Frederick Grinyer.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Thomas David Clark Hamilton.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953

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William Henderson Harper.....	Calgary, Alta.	Sept. 15, 1953
Harry Douglas Harrison.....	Nelson, B.C.	Sept. 15, 1953
George Edwin Adolph Jacob.....	Kitchener, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Hilliard Scott Maxwell.....	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 15, 1953
Alexander Martin Rollo.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Thomas Robert Ross.....	Fort William, Ont. ..	Sept. 15, 1953
Ralph Hamilton Rutherford.....	Dundas, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
George Herbert Ryerson.....	Brantford, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Norman Sydney Smith.....	Borden, Sask.	Sept. 15, 1953
James Leslie Stewart.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Ernest Robert Tennant.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 15, 1953
Geoffrey Alfred Wheable, B.A., LL.D.	London, Ont.	Sept. 15, 1953
Frank Smith Williams.....	Fort William, Ont. ..	Sept. 15, 1953
Donald Lloyd Witter.....	Montreal, Que.	Sept. 15, 1953
Adna Clifton Woods, Phm.B.	Moose Jaw, Sask.	Sept. 15, 1953
Alexander Adams.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 5, 1954
Cecil Addison Bailey.....	Pembroke, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Charles James Ripley Ballantyne	Kapuskasing, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Alexander Stuart Blackie.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 5, 1954
Earle Stanley Burrows, D.D.S.	Guelph, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Norman Warriner Byrne, Q.C.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Gordon Douglas Carlisle.....	Peterborough, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Melbourne Russell Chappell.....	Sydney, N.S.	Oct. 5, 1954
Clyde Sinclair Clancy.....	Halifax, N.S.	Oct. 5, 1954
Thomas Arthur Dawson.....	Tryon, P.E.I.	Oct. 5, 1954
Maurice Stanton Donovan, C.A.	Brandon, Man.	Oct. 5, 1954
James William Duncan.....	Saint John, N.B.	Oct. 5, 1954
Donald Methuen Fleming, B.A., LL.B., Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
William Charles Forbes.....	St. Thomas, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Spencer Cox Guest.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Oct. 5, 1954
Samuel Harris.....	High Prairie, Alta.	Oct. 5, 1954
Joseph Alonzo Hearn.....	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
William Haine Jackson.....	Innisfail, Alta.	Oct. 5, 1954
William Alfred Jones, O.B.E., V.D., C.D., M.D., F.R.C.P. (C), F.F.R., F.A.C.R. ..	Kingston, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Ralph Wilkinson Lees.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Henry Darroch Macgillivray, M.B.E.	St. John's, Nfld.	Oct. 5, 1954
Alexander MacKenzie Matheson, B.A., LL.B., Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Harvey Frank McCulloch, B.A., Q.C.	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Charles Roy McIntosh.....	Oshawa, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Lindsay Clifton Moffat, M.M., C.D.	Brandon, Man.	Oct. 5, 1954
William David Muir.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954

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Alexander Clark Murray, Phm.B.	Woodstock, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Alfred Thomas Merton Palmer.....	North Bay, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
William Wesley Ross Parker.....	North Bay, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Norman McLeod Paterson.....	Fort William, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Wesley Wintersteen Pattison.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Oct. 5, 1954
Garnet Shuter Lane Retallack.....	Montreal, Que.	Oct. 5, 1954
Thaddeus Mark Sieniewicz, M.D., F.R.C.P. (C)	Halifax, N.S.	Oct. 5, 1954
Samuel Stanley Smith.....	Guelph, Ont.	Oct. 5, 1954
Beverley Mitchell Adams, Phm.B.	Wells, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
Samuel George Bannan, Q.C.	Blairmore, Alta.	Sept. 20, 1955
William Harvey Caldwell, Phm.B.	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
Wilbert Lee Campkin	Regina, Sask.	Sept. 20, 1955
John Alexander Dewart	Peterborough, Ont.	Sept. 20, 1955
Beverly Everitt Easton, B.S.A.	Chatham, Ont.	Sept. 20, 1955
Albert Howard Felt	Barrie, Ont.	Sept. 20, 1955
James Alden Gass	Moose Jaw, Sask.	Sept. 20, 1955
Walter Hodgins Gibson	Tillsonburg, Ont.	Sept. 20, 1955
George Barlow Ingraham	Saint John, N.B.	Sept. 20, 1955
Bernard Edward Lefevre	Victoria, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
David Little	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 20, 1955
John Wilfrid Macfarland	Kingston, Ont.	Sept. 20, 1955
Walter Clifton McDonald, B.A.	Roland, Man.	Sept. 20, 1955
Elwin George McDougall	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
Duncan McIntyre	Collingwood, Ont.	Sept. 20, 1955
John St. Clair Crymble Moffitt	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
Charles Walter Murray	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
William Albert Prugh	Brandon, Man.	Sept. 20, 1955
Victor Lawrence Robertson	Saskatoon, Sask.	Sept. 20, 1955
John Rupert Stewart	Vancouver, B.C.	Sept. 20, 1955
James Watson Younge	London, Ont.	Sept. 20, 1955
Herman Albert Frank Ballstadt.....	S. Ste. Marie, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Frederick Edward Belsham.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Willard Gibson Blair.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Zalmon Louis Hall Bovair.....	Newmarket, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Harry Earle Britton, M.D., C.M., F.A.C.S.	Moncton, N.B.	Sept. 11, 1956
Hugh Moir Cairney.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
John Clinton Callaghan, B.Sc.	Dundas, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Ryerson Meyers Christie, B.A.Sc.	Cardston, Alta.	Sept. 11, 1956
Hugh George Cooke.....	Kingston, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Archdale Stephenson Coombs.....	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Herbert Victor Dobson, B.A., M.B., M.S., F.A.C.P.	Peterborough, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956

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Willard Meredith Gordon, B.A., Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Elvin Lewis Harding	Niagara Falls, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Arthur Richard Haviland.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
John Howard Holbrook, M.D.	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Thomas Jack Lees, R.O.	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Thomas Waggstaff Love.....	Fort William, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Kenneth MacKay	Fort William, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Charles Frederick MacKewn.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Charles Malcolm Macleod, B.A., Q.C.	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 11, 1956
John Patrick Melvin.....	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Ernest Harold Mitchell.....	Edmonton, Alta.	Sept. 11, 1956
Wilfrid Eades Morley.....	S. Ste. Marie, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Frank Walker Paterson.....	Lethbridge, Alta. ..	Sept. 11, 1956
Robert James Rankin.....	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 11, 1956
Arthur Lawrence Scace, B.A., Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Warren LaVerne Smith.....	London, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Donald Andrew Somerville, D.D.S.	Bristol, N.B.	Sept. 11, 1956
Thomas Grover Cleveland Tichborne	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Joseph Frederick Vandrick, Phm.B.	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
Frank Albert VanIderstine.....	Charlottetown, P.E.I.	Sept. 11, 1956
Howard Russell Wellington.....	Windsor, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
George Allan Wilson.....	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 11, 1956
James Sidney Winters.....	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 11, 1956
George Ernest Blake	Fort William, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Frederick Harold Blythe	Winnipeg, Man.	Sept. 10, 1957
Arthur Vance Chapman	Port Arthur, Ont. ..	Sept. 10, 1957
Frederick Clayton Courtice	Brandon, Man.	Sept. 10, 1957
Charles Davidson Donald, B.A., D.D.	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
John Herbert Forbes	Hamilton, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Bruce Brown Foster,, B.S.A.	Ridgetown, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Edwin Alexander Gardner, B.Arch., D.Sc.	Ottawa, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Melbourne Morton Gardner	Dayspring, N.S.	Sept. 10, 1957
George Alfred Grant	Fort William, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
James Palmer Kent, Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Burnett Charles Lamble, P. Eng.	Orillia, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
George Harvey Linklater	Kincardine, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
Warren James Maxwell, R.O.	Fredericton, N.B. ..	Sept. 10, 1957
William John Angus McCormack, C.A. ..	Brantford, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
John McIntosh	Victoria, B.C.	Sept. 10, 1957
John Melvin Moffatt	Galt, Ont.	Sept. 10, 1957
John Alexander Campbell Moore	Halifax, N.S.	Sept. 10, 1957

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Kenneth Roberts Nelson	Saint John, N.B.	..Sept. 10, 1957
Cecil Frederick Patterson, Ph.D.	Saskatoon, Sask.	..Sept. 10, 1957
Rae Ronald Porteous	Chatham, Ont.	.....Sept. 10, 1957
Maxwell Cline Purvis, Q.C.	Toronto, Ont.	.....Sept. 10, 1957
Vivian Hewton Alfred Savage	Halifax, N.S.	.....Sept. 10, 1957
Peter Alexander Sinclair	Barrie, Ont.	.....Sept. 10, 1957
John Henry Spence	Montreal, Que.	.....Sept. 10, 1957
Gordon Murray Stewart	Winnipeg, Man.	....Sept. 10, 1957
Stanley Clifford Sudden, D.D.S.	Dundalk, Ont.	.....Sept. 10, 1957
Henry Arthur Vallieres	Montreal, Que.Sept. 10, 1957
Andrew Embury Williamson, M.D.	Port Dover, Ont.	..Sept. 10, 1957

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Luther A. Smith, M.:P.:Sovereign Grand Commander, Supreme Council of the Southern Jurisdiction, U.S.A.

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Manitoba.....	Winnipeg, Man.	W. A. McKnight.....	Oscar F. Kay.....	529 Wellington Cres.
British Columbia.....	Vancouver, B.C.	Frederick Sangster.....	John R. Stewart.....	626 West Pender St.
Alberta.....	Edmonton, Alta.	R. J. Bradley.....	John Booth.....	10318 - 100th Ave.
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Southalta.....	Calgary, Alta.	William H. Harper.....	C. S. B. Lait.....	330 - 12th Ave. S.W.

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Hamilton	Hamilton, Ont.	4th Tues. .	K. M. Robinson.....	W. G. Welby.....	P. O. Box 429
London	London, Ont.	4th Mon. ..	James A. Robb.....	W. J. Bradley.....	Rm. 3, 428 Richmond St.
Toronto	Toronto, Ont.	3rd Thurs.	Donald J. Gunn.....	E. J. Call.....	784 Logan Ave.
Rose of Sharon	Kingston, Ont.	4th Thurs.	W. H. Blake.....	W. H. Gummer....	242 Westdale Ave.
Spry	Barrie, Ont. ....	.....	R. S. Leishman.....	G. O. Cameron.....	107 Collier St.
Murray	Ottawa, Ont.	4th Mon. ..	D. S. Robertson.....	E. J. McCleery.....	145 Patterson Ave.
Hochelaga	Montreal, Que. ....	.....	J. T. Whiteford.....	G. S. L. Retallack.	4056 Beaconsfield Ave.
Quebec	Quebec, Que. ....	.....	P. L. Fitzgerald.....	J. M. Weir.....	671 Pere Marquette St.
Harington	Saint John, N.B. ...	3rd Mon. ..	James S. Hoyt.....	R. D. Magee.....	P. O. Box 430
Keith	Halifax, N.S.	3rd Thurs.	D. F. Horton.....	H. Earl Roche....	18 Walnut St.
Bethesda	Winnipeg, Man.	4th Frid. ..	Rev. J. L. McInnis...	Oscar F. Kay.....	529 Wellington Cres.
Vancouver	Vancouver, B.C. ....	.....	W. S. Owen.....	J. R. Stewart.....	626 West Pender St.
Mizpah	Edmonton, Alta.	3rd Frid. ...	David Little.....	John Booth.....	10318 - 100th Ave.
Guelph	Guelph, Ont.	3rd Thurs.	L. B. James.....	S. S. Smith.....	Apt. 3, 215 Woolwich St.
Sault Ste. Marie	Sault Ste. Marie ...	3rd Wed.	H. Foster.....	Harry Drackley...	96 Edmonds St.
Regina	Regina, Sask.	2nd Frid. ...	George E. Edwards...	T. G. Harper.....	P. O. Box 901
Nauna-Bijou	Fort William, Ont. .	3rd Thurs.	S. I. Knox.....	G. H. Barelay....	P. O. Box 251
Windsor	Windsor, Ont.	4th Tues. .	George Wood.....	D. A. McInnis....	976 Gladstone Ave.
Delta	Calgary, Alta. ....	.....	S. P. Bird.....	C. S. B. Lait.....	330 - 12th Ave. S.W.
Victoria	Victoria, B.C. ....	.....	James Hogg.....	J. T. Clark.....	1345 Monterey Ave.
Brandon	Brandon, Man.	3rd Thurs.	W. G. Nelson.....	W. A. Wood.....	324 - 13th St.
Peterborough	Peterborough, Ont. .	.....	W. H. Macdonald....	J. S. McGill.....	R. R. 1, Millbrook, Ontario.
Saskatoon	Saskatoon, Sask. ...	4th Frid. ...	D. J. Graham.....	Leroy Holmes.....	937 University Drive
North Bay	North Bay, Ont.	2nd Thurs.	W. J. Bird.....	H. C. Smith.....	219 Victoria St. W.
Alexander Sheppard	Moose Jaw, Sask. ...	.....	J. S. Duncan.....	T. W. Kearney....	1138 Third Ave. N.W.
Moray.....	Vernon, B.C. ....	.....	J. A. Smith.....	J. F. Fisher.....	3001 - 22nd St.
Kokanee.....	Nelson, B.C. ....	.....	S. E. Briard.....	C. D. Pearson....	806 Victoria St.
Chinook.....	Lethbridge, Alta. ...	1st Frid. ...	W. S. Wallace.....	C. MacMillan.....	1302 - 4th Ave. S.
Niagara.....	Niagara Falls, Ont.	F. E. Wilson.....	J. G. Collins.....	1156 Victoria Ave.
Kent.....	Chatham, Ont.	1st Fri.	Rae R. Porteous.....	B. E. Easton.....	P. O. Box 2008.

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Name	Where Situated	Meeting Day	T.P.:G.:M.:	Grand Secretary	Address of Grand Secretary
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London	London, Ont.	3rd Mon. ..	J. U. Brown.....	W. J. Bradley.....	Rm. 3, 428 Richmond St.
Toronto	Toronto, Ont.	2nd Mon. ..	R. W. Ellison.....	Ernest J. Call.....	784 Logan Ave.
Kingston	Kingston, Ont.	3rd Thurs.	J. F. Symons.....	W. H. Gummer.....	242 Westdale Ave.
Royal City	Guelph, Ont.	3rd Mon. ..	W. M. Wilkie.....	S. S. Smith.....	Apt. 3, 215 Woolwich St.
Barrie	Barrie, Ont.	3rd Tues. ..	D. D. Cole.....	C. J. Allison.....	31 Clapperton St.
Ottawa	Ottawa, Ont.	2nd Mon. ..	W. E. Meldrum.....	E. J. McCleery.....	145 Patterson Ave.
Hochelega	Montreal, Que. ....	.....	L. C. Martin.....	G. S. L. Retallack.....	4056 Beaconsfield Ave.
Quebec	Quebec, Que. ....	.....	W. Worwood.....	J. M. Weir.....	671 Pere Marquette St.
Saint John	Saint John, N.B.	2nd Mon. ..	G. J. Redstone.....	R. D. Magee.....	P. O. Box 430
Victoria	Halifax, N.S.	3rd Thurs.	Harvey R. Doane.....	H. Earl Roche.....	18 Walnut St.
Winnipeg	Winnipeg, Man.	2nd Frid. ..	John Campbell.....	Oscar F. Kay.....	529 Wellington Cres.
Vancouver	Vancouver, B.C.	2nd Frid. ..	J. F. Ravenhill.....	John R. Stewart.....	626 West Pender St.
Albert Edward	Summerside, P.E.I. ....	.....	J. R. Murphy.....	Harry S. Cannon.....	Box 184 Summerside, P.E.I.
Edmonton	Edmonton, Alta.	1st Frid. ..	A. J. G. Lauder.....	John Booth.....	10318 - 100th Ave.
Regina	Regina, Sask.	3rd Thurs.	Roy S. Meldrum.....	Thos G. Harper.....	P. O. Box 901
Sault Ste. Marie.....	Sault Ste. Marie, Ont.	2nd Wed. ..	P. H. Sparling.....	Harry Drackley.....	96 Edmonds St.
Windsor	Windsor, Ont.	2nd Tues. ..	N. E. Burbridge.....	D. A. McInnis.....	976 Gladstone Ave.
Superior	Fort William, Ont.	2nd Thurs.	H. G. Demuth.....	G. H. Barclay.....	P. O. Box 251
Calgary	Calgary, Alta.	1 & 3 Mon.	J. M. Gardiner.....	C. S. B. Lait.....	330 - 12th Ave., S.W.
Saskatoon	Saskatoon, Sask.	2nd Frid. ..	W. Scott.....	James Tait.....	805—7th Ave.
Victoria	Victoria, B.C.	2nd Tues. ..	R. C. Benwell.....	J. T. Clark.....	1345 Monterey Ave.
Brandon	Brandon, Man.	1st Thurs.	T. Sigurdson.....	W. A. Wood.....	324 - 13th St.
Moose Jaw	Moose Jaw, Sask.	4th Frid. ...	A. R. McIntyre.....	T. W. Kearney.....	1138 Third Ave. N.W.
Peterborough	Peterborough, Ont.	4th Mon. ...	C. H. Pardy.....	H. C. Sootheran.....	498 Hunter St. W.
Elgin	Niagara Falls, Ont.	4th Thurs.	Geo. A. Newport.....	F. E. Wilson.....	469 Hiram St.
North Bay	North Bay, Ont.	2nd Wed. ..	D. G. Seaulon.....	H. C. Smith.....	219 Victoria St. W.
Kootenay	Nelson, B.C.	4th Wed. ..	C. H. Jones.....	C. D. Pearson.....	806 Victoria St.
Okanagan	Vernon, B.C.	1st Thurs.	S. A. Fleming.....	J. F. Fisher.....	3001 - 22nd St.
Lethbridge	Lethbridge, Alta.	1st Frid. ..	W. D. J. Fellows.....	C. MacMillan.....	1302 - 4th Ave. S.
Chatham.....	Chatham, Ont.	1st Tues.	John Burnett.....	B. E. Easton.....	P. O. Box 2008.
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*Hugh Alexander Mackay	*Benjamin Allen
*John Valentine Ellis	*Elias Talbot Malone
*David Ransom Munro	*Daniel Fraser MacWatt
*James Domville	*Alexander Stephen
*James Kirkpatrick Kerr	*John McKechnie
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*William James Bury	*William Brown McArthur
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*William Henry Hutton	*Sydney Albert Luke
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*Robert Thomas Clinch	*Thomas Lees
*Hugh Murray	*James Glanville
*William Benjamin Simpson	*Frederick Justus Howell
*Charles Napier Bell	*Alexander McDougall
*Daniel Spry	*T. Harry Webb
*Francis Partridge	*William Allen Young
*George Thomas Smithers	*John Alexander Cameron
*David McLellan	*Thomas Walker
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*Frederick Joseph Menet	James Henry Winfield
*Edward Lusher Foster	Lewis Frederick Riggs
*Angus William Hooper	*Edward Ainslie Braithwaite
*James Frederick Walker	*Alexander Shepphard
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*Walter Norris Duff	Clarence MacLeod Pitts
*Albert Edward Cooper	Arthur Cross
*Joseph Elwood Miller	George Frederick Kingsmill
*William McGregor Logan	William Carey Ditmars
*William Hugh Wardrope	Hugh Macdonald Dunlop
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